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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

[illegible] Feb 8—General Freight Agent Smith of the Central Pacific railroad and Mr Vining General Freight Agent of the Union Pacific railroad arrived here last evening but remained here only two hours leaving on the train for New York. An interview with them on the subject of the dead lock in freight matters between their roads and the Chicago and Omaha roads elicited nothing beyond a reiteration on the part of Mr Vining of a determination of the Union Pacific railroad not to divide freight rates with eastern roads and the fact that they were going to New York where they would have a conference with officers of the [illegible] in relation to freight matters

Fire—Murder

St Albans Vt Feb 9—Martin C Moore's tannery at Swanton Vt was burned [illegible] insurance $8 000

James Wynne is committed to the Woodstock jail charged with the murder of Wm Donohoe. Wynne and Donohoe were neighbors and farmers.

Miscellaneous News.

New York Feb 9—An effort is said to be making to induce the authorities to abandon the prosecution of Michael Norton who fled to Canada on the conviction of Genet and who is represented to be now the only member of the former ring workers in a hurry to turn informer, should the act be advantageous to themselves.

A fire early this morning at 571 Broadway occupied by C D Rause dry goods auctioneer and A Freedman & Co., importers of lace and fine white goods. Loss estimated at $100 000

WASHINGTON CITY

Postal Changes for the Pacific Coast.

Washington Feb 8—The following postal changes have been ordered for the Pacific coast John McCall Walla Walla Union county Oregon James O Turner Orcas Island Whatcom county W T

Change in the Management of Indians.

Washington Feb 8—The Committee on Indian Affairs are maturing measures which look to a change in the management of Indian affairs, dispensing with the present Indian Commissioners and restoring the management to the War Department. A General Indian Agency will be recommended

Regulating Compensation of Postmasters.

Washington Feb 9—The bill introduced in the House in relation to compensation of postmasters fixes the rate of New York at $1 000 of Chicago St Louis Philadelphia and Boston at $8 000 each, Cincinnati Brooklyn Baltimore and San Francisco at $6 000 It provides that such salaries shall be paid from moneys received from box rents and other sources, in excess of expenditures allowed for rent clerk hire and other [illegible]

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Summing Up of the Elections.

London Feb 8—At the close of the week 609 members of the House of Commons had been returned of whom 26? are Conservatives and 24? Liberals. The Home Rulers in Cork have returned one member and Kilkenny two

London Feb 9—7 A M—Parliamentary election returns up to this date show that seventy five Conservatives are elected to seats formerly filled by Liberals and that twenty eight Liberals have been chosen in place of Conservatives

It is rumored that Gladstone is at variance with his colleagues and wishes to resign immediately. They insist on waiting for the opening of the new Parliament. It is also reported that Disraeli has already arranged his Ministry. Gladstone will await the conclusion of the elections before deciding as to what course the Government will take

It is probable that Right Hon Edward Cardwell Secretary of State for the War Department, will be raised to a peerage

A New Cable Company.

London, Feb. 8—The prospectus of the New Atlantic Telegraph Company to lay a cable from Great Britain to Azores and thence to Halifax has been printed

Advices from Sumatra show that Atchinese chiefs still hold out and are building forts in the interior

THE TERRITORIES.

A Silver City thief stole ten gallons of tar, thinking it was coal oil

The A O F, Ancient Order of Foresters is to be instituted at Seattle

The Industrial Co-operatives of Olympia will give a grand ball on the 23d inst

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the Governor's Message to the Utah Territorial Legislature, printed in pamphlet form

A family living a few miles south of Tenino W T, lost one child last week and a number of other children are very sick, with some strange disease

The Port Townsend *Argus* says the contractors and builders have proposals for building seven or eight houses at that place during the coming summer

Among the candidates for the office of Sheriff of Whatcom county, which is expected to be vacant soon, the B B *Mail* says M H Harkness, Esq, is prominent

A few days ago, says the B B *Mail* we were shown some tobacco grown in the Nootsack district, which for quality and flavor cannot be excelled by the famous Kentucky tobacco leaf

During the past week some 12 or 14 head of cattle belonging to Doc Simmons and his neighbors, at the head of Oyster Bay have died—supposed to have been poisoned either accidentally or maliciously

We learn that considerable dissatisfaction exists among the stockholders of the Coupville Union Store, Whidby's Island at the effort about to be made to increase its capital stock and make the same transferable

The following business was transacted at the Land Office in Olympia during the month of January 31 declaratory statements filed 1 donation certificate issued for 160 acres 12 homestead entries, 1,269 20-100 acres 3 final homesteads 444 acres, 15 cash entries 1 606 acres—$5,572 41

Another vessel is reported ashore outside of of Cape Flattery. The Neah Bay Indians say there are two vessels and a steamer ashore on the coast to the southward of the Cape. One of the vessels has been noted and the steamer is probably the *Diana*. These Indian reports should be cautiously received

Silver City without a farm in twenty miles of the place, has a Grange. It is not probably genuine. An orator at one of the meetings is thus described by the *Avalanche*. He vaulted like a big buck tied to a cedar gate post. He screamed until the chairman of the meeting who was sitting painfully near put both hands on his head to keep his scalp from lifting up. He would throw himself back to the angle of forty five degrees roll his eyes get into a towering burst, then suddenly squat nearly to the floor put his hands on his knees, and squeeze out the climax

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The steamer *Sir James Douglas* has been hauled off and her crew discharged

The Ottawa *Free Press* says that British Columbia must have the Railway or Separation

The estimated expenditures of the Province of British Columbia for the year 1874 is $757 890 66 The estimated revenue receipts will be $861,443 91

Edward H Kimball for many years a resident of British Columbia but a native of Massachusetts was killed in a snow slide at Cariboo a short time since

British Columbia Lodge No [illegible] A F & A M presented Brother Henry Brown with a beautiful Masonic Jewel solid gold and handsomely enameled and inscribed on the occasion of that gentleman retiring from the position of W M

A report of the mission work by the Wesleyan Mission in the Province says of the twelve missions stations among the whites two are now self sustaining viz Victoria and Nanaimo. The former is more than self sustaining inasmuch as it raises close upon one thousand dollars for the promotion of outside work. Among the various efforts of evangelization put forth from this missionary center that directed to the Indian population presents an aspect of especial interest. There are between ninety and one hundred Indians under a regular course of training, and upwards of fifty have been admitted to church membership. It is proposed shortly to establish a mission amongst the Chinese residents towards which Mr Sandford, of Hamilton has promised to contribute five hundred dollars per annum. Altogether the work presents a highly encouraging aspect

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco

San Francisco Feb 9—A fire occurred this morning on Stevenson street near Sixth in the premises occupied by John Merrill and Charles Schrader. Merrill was proprietor of a carpet-beating establishment where the fire originated probably from the furnace of the steam boiler. Total loss estimated at $8 000

More rain last night and to-day cloudy and threatening

It is stated that John Pritchard who was killed yesterday was a somnambulist, and his friends think he sprang out of the window and received his death while walking in his sleep

A Convention of various Irish Societies yesterday inaugurated measures for the proper celebration of St Patrick's day

Greenbacks 89¼@89⅜

San Francisco, Feb 9—Natchez Piute chief was released from Alcatraz to-day. He says he does not wish to harm Bateman the agent but says he does not like him and that his people distrust him that he is unjust to them and to the Government

San Francisco Feb 9—The examination of the DeYoung brothers for threatening to kill Napthaly, of the *Sun* was concluded this evening and taken under advisement by the Court till to-morrow

A German name not known, attempted to commit suicide to-night by taking poison. He is in the hands of a physician, who will probably save his life

A mass meeting of the Germans to consider the subject of cosmopolitan schools in this city is largely attended. No definite action yet reported

San Francisco Feb 9—Thirty three of the newly appointed policemen out of fifty five were accepted this afternoon and sworn in by the Police Judge

Speakers are still addressing the German mass meeting at Platt's Hall in favor of legislative action to maintain cosmopolitan schools in this city. Much enthusiasm is manifested. A memorial to the Legislature will probably be adopted

Weather to-night clear and pleasant

Interior California.

Sucker Flat Feb 9—At 5 30 this evening the first blast in the Enterprise claim was fired. Two hundred and thirty-one kegs of powder was exploded which was a success beyond all expectations. They have recently completed a bedrock tunnel 2 530 feet long which took three and one half years, both day and night to complete. Their flume is 6 000 feet long, four feet wide, the whole of which is lined with rocks

San Diego Feb 9—The trial of Wilson and McCarty, for murder commenced to-day before Judge Sepuloeda. It will probably last this week

Santa Barbara Feb 9—A mass meeting of citizens and voters was held at Cook's Hall this afternoon. They adopted a new city Charter prepared by a committee to be sent to the delegation at Sacramento with instructions to pass the same immediately

The funeral ceremonies of Judge de la Guerra took place at the Roman Catholic Church yesterday

Sacramento Feb 9—The jury in the Ah Fun murder case brought in a verdict of not guilty, and were discharged

John Rider second Trustee of this city, brings suit against twelve members of the late Grand Jury for libel damages, $20,000

A trunk and valuable gun was stolen from the Golden Eagle Hotel last night. The trunk was afterwards found in an alley rifled of its contents

Anaheim Feb 9—Yesterday morning a party of young men started out on a hunting expedition. When about two miles from this place T E Schmidt hastily drawing his gun from the wagon it caught on the seat of the wagon and fell on the [illegible], exploding, the charge which entered behind the ear of young Schmidt blowing the back of his head off, killing him instantly

ARIZONA.

An Apache Massacre.

San Diego Feb 9—The *Union's* special dated Tucson 9th says parties have returned from the scene of the Apache massacre near Old Grant. On their way up they met Benito Corillas who had escaped the massacre and who had been shot through the wrist. Corillas says the morning the attack was made he and two others who were at work near the house saw a number of Apaches approaching. They had no fear of the Indians, because they were accustomed to visiting the ranche. The Apaches inquired for Romano Smeardon and Mendoz. They informed them that they were away. The Apaches went into the corral and formed lines like soldiers. They then anticipated treachery and went into the house and closed the doors. The Apaches opened fire through the windows immediately killing a woman and two children and set fire to the house, which soon smoked the men out. They retreated to another room. Jesus Vasquez was killed soon after also Rafael Romero. When Vasquez fell Corillas took his gun fought through the Apaches to the river and laid in the brush. He laid secreted that day and night. He says the corral was full of Apaches led by Padro, who shot him in the wrist and killed the woman. He recognized a number of old Grant Indians. The woman children and two men found buried in the houses were burned, and everything in and about the premises destroyed or carried off. Troops are out after the Apaches

CHINA AND JAPAN.

San Francisco Feb 9—The China Trans Pacific Company's steamer *Vasco de Gama* arrived last night having made the voyage from Yokohama in less than nineteen days—the fastest time ever made between these ports. She made the passage from Hong Kong to Yokohama in 6 days and 23 hours. The *Japan* was to have sailed on the 23d. The *Gama* brought 200 Chinese passengers

The Japanese Government has issued another decree recalling all students residing abroad at the expense of the Government except those who show the greatest advancement in studies

The great temple of Tenshu Daj [illegible] at Yedo was destroyed by fire Jan 1st

Lonado Rochelt [illegible] for England as Commissioner to the London Exposition of 1874

The relations between the Japanese Government with all but the United States Minister are growing more inharmonious

No clue has yet been found to the person who tried to assassinate Iwakura on the 14th of January last. Iwakura has recovered from his wounds

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Steilacoom Feb [illegible]—Last night about [illegible] o'clock the Pacific Exchange Hotel was destroyed by fire

On Thursday the 4th inst the remains of a man were found at Rogue river [illegible] Grants Pass. The body had evidently been deposited there during the high water and was left exposed by the subsidence of the freshet. It had apparently been in the water several weeks and was in an advanced state of decomposition. The remains are described as those of a man who was about six feet in height with a heavy black beard a little streaked with gray all over his face. The remains had nothing on them but a pair of heavy kip boots with wire pulled [illegible] and black patent leather tops apparently worn but a day or two and a portion of his drawers which were of white cotton. A critical examination of the remains failed to discover any mark of violence and the finders came to the conclusion that death must have been caused by drowning. No one had the slightest idea who the man could have been as no person is reported missing that could be heard of

DECISION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT BY SAWYER AND DEADY J J

[illegible] Rankin Complainant vs W T Wythe [illegible] et al Defendant

[illegible] lots 1 and 2 in [illegible] to W [illegible] in consideration of such conveyance said W and wife afterwards conveyed to said [illegible] lands [illegible] and wife in exchange for and [illegible] that in the absence of evidence [illegible] that the [illegible] was made to W with the assent of his wife there was a resulting trust in her favor and her subsequent vendees are entitled to a decree against the heirs of W for a conveyance of the legal title

SAWYER DEADY J J [illegible]

Bill in Equity to obtain the conveyance of the legal title to certain lots in Salem Oregon

William H Wilson and wife Cloe A Wilson resided upon a tract of land in Marion county Oregon from 1844 to July 28 [illegible] and in all respects performed the acts required under the Act of Congress of September 27 1850 commonly called the donation act to entitle them to a patent from the United States. In 1862 patents were accordingly issued by which the northern half was granted to the United States to said Cloe A Wilson and the south half to said William H Wilson. Said Wilson and wife laid off a portion of said land into blocks and lots constituting a portion of the city of Salem. Lots 1 and 2 the land in controversy are a part of the land so laid out into city lots and are situate in the said north half of said land claim and within the part so patented to said Cloe A Wilson. Said Wilson and wife by deed duly executed conveyed said two lots to [illegible] Grover. Grover subsequently conveyed as stated in the stipulation of the parties as follows to wit

That on the 13th day of February 1856 by deed of that date the said [illegible] Grover conveyed said lots 1 and 2 (the lots in controversy) to said William H Wilson and in *consideration of and as a recompense* the said William H Wilson and Cloe A Wilson conveyed to said [illegible] Grover land *belonging at that time to said Cloe A Wilson* to-wit a portion of the north half of said donation land claim which last conveyance was made by deed of date to wit the 13th day of February 1856 and *are the same* [illegible] *to the said* [illegible] 1 and 2

Afterwards and after the death of her husband said Cloe A Wilson as stipulated conveyed said lots for their full value to Daniel Waldo and said title of Cloe A Wilson and Daniel Waldo by proper mesne conveyance became vested in the complainants before the commencement of this suit. The defendants other than W T Wythe who is the husband of L Bell Wythe are children and a portion of the heirs at law of said W H Wilson deceased and claim title as such

The fact then is that the conveyance of Mrs Wilson's separate property was the consideration for the conveyance of the property in controversy by Grover to her husband William H Wilson. There was an exchange of property. The property exchanged the consideration of Grover's conveyance was furnished by one party and the conveyance taken in the name of another. There was we think under the authorities a resulting trust in favor of Mrs Wilson (Story's Eq Jur Sec 1201 and cases cited. Rider v Kiddell 10 Ves jr and numerous cases cited in note. Summers Ed Finch v Finch 15 Ves 50. Boyd vs McLean 1 John Ch 582. Botsford v Burr 2 ib 405 Steene v Steene, 5 ib 1)

We do not think a gift by the wife to the husband or a conveyance in consideration of love and affection can be properly inferred from the stipulated facts. Perhaps such might be the case had the husband's property been given in exchange for other property and the deed for the property received had been taken *by his direction* in the name of his wife. But there is nothing to show that the lots in controversy were deeded to the husband by the direction or with the assent of the wife. There is no evidence on this point beyond the mere fact of the conveyances being made the one in consideration of the other the deeds bearing different dates

The law protects the conveyances by the wife of her property with great solicitude. They are guarded by many provisions in order to secure perfect freedom of action unaffected by undue influence on the part of the husband. And especially are transactions by which the separate property of the wife is transferred to the husband jealously scrutinized in consequence of her liability through affection or other undue influence to be overreached and improperly despoiled of her estate. It is in accordance with the general course of domestic transactions in this country that the husband being the head of the family transacts the business even of the wife. He is usually the active party. Although there is no evidence on the subject it is not at all improbable but on the contrary it is highly probable that the husband in this case attended to the business and took the deed in return for the property of the wife without any examination on her part as to its contents. Such would be extremely likely to be the course of the transactions. In view of the general principles of the law its extreme solicitude in guarding the dealings between husband and wife whereby the property of the latter becomes vested in the former we think at least there ought to be some satisfactory evidence beyond the mere facts that the deed of Grover was made to the husband to indicate that the wife assented to the transaction and intended to invest the title to her property in her husband. There should be affirmative evidence that her assent was given in some legal mode. There is nothing to justify us in adopting this view. We think there was a resulting trust in favor of the wife and that her subsequent vendees are entitled to a decree against the defendants for a conveyance. Let a decree be entered accordingly

James G. Chapman for complainants

I C Gibbs R [illegible] and *Watts & Thurm* for defendants

U S CIRCUIT COURT

[illegible] SAWYER AFFIRMING [illegible] DEADY [illegible] CASE

Eliza [illegible] Administratrix et al Appellees vs A D Wass et al Appellants—In Admiralty [illegible]

[illegible] master [illegible] of the tug [illegible] and received [illegible] from the bark [illegible] and her cargo [illegible] salvage service in the [illegible] over which [illegible] bark [illegible] after a general [illegible] but the crew [illegible] formal claim for salvage [illegible] master [illegible] owners [illegible] brought suit against the latter for their proper share of said salvage. *Held* that the master and owners of the tug have the general charge of the claim for salvage and that the bill presented by them [illegible] owners for salvage service [illegible] the service of the crew [illegible] constituted the effective agency that performed the salvage service

The distribution [illegible] more [illegible] discretion of the Judge [illegible] decree will be affirmed

SAWYER J [illegible]

There can be no doubt that the service [illegible] by the steam tug [illegible] of the [illegible] salvage [illegible] respondent [illegible] allowed as [illegible] salvage service and I do not think they can now be heard to [illegible]

The principal [illegible] the hearing of the appeal was whether [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] only for the [illegible] owners of the [illegible] entitled. The crew had not authorized the owners to put in any claim on their behalf nor had they at the time themselves [illegible] I do not [illegible] that they were aware that the owners [illegible] making a claim for salvage. The owners did however present a claim against the vessel and [illegible] the libel [illegible] steam tug [illegible] and owners [illegible] salvage service [illegible] 000 which was allowed. There was a general and particular [illegible] of the vessel and [illegible] cargo

contributing [illegible] circumstances shown that this claim covered the entire salvage service. It [illegible] the [illegible] whereof the vessel and of the cargo liable to contribute it was necessary that all demands should be known in order that a proper adjustment should be made while the vessel and property were in a condition to be made to contribute its just proper share. The owners of the vessel rendering salvage service have the general charge and oversight in such proceeding. They would be likely to see that all just claims are presented in order to protect themselves. And the bill presented in the name of the steam tug [illegible] and owners for salvage services must be construed as covering all claims to the vessel contributing to the service under the directions of the officers in command. The vessel alone did not perform the service independent of the efforts of the crew

It was the vessel with its machinery manned with its crew worked under the direction of its commander all co-operating together as one effective agency that saved the brig and its cargo. And as there is nothing in the bill presented and allowed that indicates an intent or understanding of the parties interested to limit the claim to that part of the compensation due to the owners of the vessel as separate claimants it must be held to cover the entire service

Upon ascertaining that a claim for the salvage services of $5 000 had been presented by the owners of the steam tug [illegible] allowed and paid the libellants being members of the crew acquiesced in the amount and now claim their proper share. I think they are entitled to recover it. The only other questions are as to whether the salvage money has been properly distributed by the District Court. Upon this point after a careful examination of the case I cannot say that error is sufficiently apparent to justify me in disturbing the decree. There is no exact rule upon the subject applicable to all cases. The distribution must depend largely upon the sound discretion of the Judge, guided by the circumstances of the case and there is room for an honest difference of opinion. Upon the whole I think the decree should be affirmed and it is so ordered

Williams & Stearns and *W W* [illegible] for appellant

John A [illegible] for respondent

AGRICULTURAL LABORERS IN ENGLAND

In a recent address at New York Charles Bradlaugh thus described the miserable condition of the rural population of Britain

There is another matter upon which I wish to make a special plea. I mean the state of our agricultural population. And I am not going to do it from any view of mine. My view would be a bitter one indeed. But I will give it to you from a report made under authority of the crown and signed by the present Bishop of Manchester Mr Henley and Mr Stanhope—a commission which certainly did not take evidence in any spirit of undue favor toward the laborer. And here let me say a word for pressing these things upon your attention for there are editors here who do not know our griefs or our wrongs, who say that these are matters which need not here be discussed. But where there are so many pens and tongues to paint everything golden to you surely at least one tongue may be permitted to show the other lining of the cloud. Bishop Fraser says of some of the dwellings in Suffolk that they are detestable of some of them in Northampton that they are a disgrace to civilization of some of them in Sussex that they are a disgrace to any civilized community and then he gives a case in Norfolk and draws a picture of an agricultural laborer's dwelling. One small room he says in which father mother grandfather, grandmother sons and daughters are born live, if you can call it live and die in which every operation of nature dressing undressing birth, death is performed by each within the sight and hearing of all in which children of as much as fourteen or sixteen years of age of both sexes, are driven to sleep in the same bed—that is if you can call those things beds—in which human nature is degraded below the level of the swine

And this he says is a picture from life. I believe that while that state of things exists we have the right to try and wrest the land out of the hands of those who have used it so badly. Take the laborer's wages. If your newspaper reports are not utterly incorrect a person not long ago in this room spoke of laborers wages as from six to eight shillings a day. Why, I have been carefully through the returns of every county in England and leaving the counties of Northumberland and Durham out of the question I say there is no case in which the highest wages taking the year round has averaged more than fourteen shillings a week and I say that the bulk of the wages has averaged about eight shillings nine pence to nine shillings six pence a week and I [illegible] with facts and figures to prove them. In Hereford jail the cost of a prisoner for food alone comes to more than twice as much per week as the Hereford laborer gets to buy himself food clothing house room and the luxuries of life if he can get them. Why the laborer's wage is an awful wage. And I am told they waste it in beer. I was the other day in East Sussex which is entirely owned by the Duke of Richmond Lord Leconfield and Lord Egremont. A relative of mine has rented a cottage in that district and much to their disgust they are obliged occasionally to put up with my presence in that neighborhood. I have gone about among the laborers there and into their homes. The Duke of Richmond is a rich duke. You can make a fence of fourteen miles round his Goodwood estate and he is so much in favor of civilization that he would not allow a telegraph wire across his land till last year and then he only consented because the Prince of Wales wanted to send word about his bets. The bulk of the people's wages there averaged from 1s [illegible] to 1s 8d [illegible]. We will call it 1s 1d and you have then something to look at. Here is a man who has to keep his wife and two or three [illegible] children and pay rent for his [illegible]. Where is he to get money to spend on beer? [illegible] the village ale house pleasant when you see how wretched and miserable a dwelling he has. It is cold and though there is plenty of wood lying about if his wife tried to gather a few sticks she would be dragged before the magistrate and sent to jail for trespass. I am not overcoloring it. It is the truth I am putting and I put it as the reason why we have the right to be agitating and to be discontent in our country

We are told much of the ignorance of the laborer. Can you wonder at their ignorance? Their children have never been to school. They have been forced to work in the fields from the time they have been seven or eight years old. Then we have the infernal game laws which are a disgrace to any country. The starving laborer sees a hare running along behind the hedge. The hare is fat and the laborer is thin. But let him touch it and the [illegible] will take him and in our country [illegible] had better commit a burglary than kill a hare or rabbit. Why they have even given the police the right to search upon suspicion and they use this power [illegible] to practically deprive [illegible] of all but [illegible] liberty. But there is now an agitation [illegible] and Mr [illegible] bring [illegible] West [illegible] North [illegible] which [illegible] will [illegible] preserve [illegible] game [illegible] We [illegible]

A Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars was organized at Phoenix Jackson county, January [illegible] by [illegible] Starr. The number of names on the roll was twenty nine [illegible] of whom were present at the organization. The following officers were installed for the present term: J A [illegible] W C T, Isabel Rose W V T [illegible] Miss Bish, R H S [illegible] Justus [illegible] M Hoxie [illegible] Gore [illegible] Bish W [illegible] Miss Sarah Jones W I [illegible] R Hall W [illegible] Oatman [illegible] Miss Ida Gore W [illegible] Mrs Hattie Jones [illegible] Dunlap [illegible]

OREGON

A Corvallis man [illegible] received a patent for a medicine called Water Dock Salve

An establishment for canning salmon will be erected at Ellensburg Curry county the coming spring

I C Austin and P B Curry have been appointed Notary Public by the Governor and will reside at Marshfield Coos county

The Jacksonville *Sentinel* is informed that John Corbell was not at all implicated in the difficulty at Lindville which resulted in the death of Henry White. The inquest failed to show who did the shooting

A son of Sheriff Tozier, on last Saturday, while playing near a span of horses in Hillsboro was kicked on the left arm just below the shoulder breaking the bones short off. Dr Bailey was called and set the limb which is now doing very well

An orphan boy who had been living with a man near or in Forest Grove was turned over to the tender mercies of Washington county at the last term of the Commissioners Court. His feet were badly frozen we are informed and his statement of the treatment he received is anything but complimentary to man's humanity to man

The lake country has experienced some cold weather lately. The thermometer at Linkville on January 24th stood 12 degrees below zero. Later reports, however materially modify the apprehended loss of stock from cold and starvation. Prudence and energy of herders and a cessation of the storm has partially relieved fears in that respect

We learn by private letter from Ellensburg, Curry county that David Hastings, an old resident of that part of the country has been missing for some time, and it is supposed that he is drowned. His boat was found in some drift wood but no other traces had been discovered when our letter was written though the man had been missing over two weeks

Shedd Grange Linn county elected its officers for the ensuing year as follows: Frank Shedd, M W M Powers O R I Yantis, S John McBride A S J C Sumner, T W W Yantis Secretary D P Porter L D Suthern Chaplain A McBride, G Miss M J Davidson C Mrs M A Powers, P Mrs M McBride, F Mrs D P Porter, L A S

A boy named Finley of Jackson county, was seriously injured last week on this wise: He was on horseback driving stock, his horse fell with him, and before he could release himself the horse rose and ran some two hundred yards with him dragging him that distance by his foot which stuck in the stirrup. Fortunately his boot pulled off and released him from his perilous position and probably saved his life

Notice is given that on Friday, February 20, at 10 o'clock A M, at Good Templars Hall in Salem there will be held a meeting of delegates from each Grange in Marion county, to consider the feasibility of organizing a Marion County Grange Association, and any other business of interest to the Order. A Master and two delegates will be admitted to represent each Grange, and any 4th degree members of the Order who feel interested can be present

Worthy Master William Comegys of Perrydale Grange, has installed the officers of Oak Point Grange Polk county, as follows: J W Kirkland M, James Tatom O, D M Boone, L F A Patterson S, A D Keith A S, I I Dempsey C, John Osburn T, J A Dempsey, Secretary, A P Kirkland G, Miss Mary Tatom, Ceres, Miss N V Vernon, Pomona, Mrs Sarah C Nelson Flora, Mrs Rebekah Darnisle L A S. This grange has 93 full members and a class of 17 more on hand

The following are the officers of Silver Lodge No 36 I O G T, for the present term, W R Dunbar, W C T, Allie Allen, V T, Sarah L Page R H S, Louisa Degure L H S, I F Mescher W S, Lucinda Davis W A S, T D Allen F S, Frank Blackerley, T, Sarah A Davenport Chaplain, F P Hicks, M, Mary Mescher D M, John Hicks I G, Geo W Smith O G, Edna J Brown, P W C T, and I F Mescher L D. This flourishing Lodge is located at Silverton Marion county

A Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry was organized at Phoenix Jackson county, Jan 29th by W M Buck, D D. The number of Charter Members was 25 and the following are the names of the officers chosen and installed to serve for the ensuing year: John S Herrin, W M, Samuel Furry, O, Sam Colver, L, J G VanDyke, S, Wallace Baldwin A S, S D VanDyke, C, S C Taylor T, W F Herrin, Secretary, John Coleman, G K, Mrs M G Gore C, Mrs S C Taylor P, Miss A E Shideler F, Miss M A Herrin L A S

The Yreka *Journal* of the 4th inst is informed by P A Dorn, who has just returned from an extended trip to the Modoc or Lake country and to valleys of Southeastern Oregon that at Goose Lake valley there was about a foot of snow and there was also considerable snow in Sunrise valley. In Big valley the whole country was covered at least a foot in depth of snow, but in Hot Spring valley there was no snow, except at the upper end with the weather very cold. At the Modoc country there is a great deal of snow on the ground but the cattle manage to live well on the tall bunch grass wild rye and bushes that come above the snow. At the Chewaukan valley, in Southern Oregon the snow had almost disappeared

MR FREEMAN'S BILL

PASSED BY THE ASSEMBLY AND ON ITS SECOND READING IN THE SENATE OF CALIFORNIA

An Act to Regulate Fares and Freights on the Railroads in the State of California. The People of the State of California represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any railroad company to charge more than four (4) cent per mile for each passenger with one hundred pound or less of baggage or more than the following rates per ton for freight transported on such railroad. If such freights be carried eighty miles or over the amount charged shall not exceed three cent per ton per mile. If carried seventy miles and not exceeding eighty miles the amount charged shall not exceed three and one quarter cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed two dollars and forty cents per ton for the entire distance. If carried sixty miles and not exceeding seventy miles the amount charged shall not exceed three and one half cents per ton per mile and the whole amount charged shall not exceed two dollars and twenty seven cents for the entire distance. If carried fifty miles and not exceeding sixty miles the amount shall not exceed 4 cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed $2 10 per ton for the entire distance. If carried forty miles and not exceeding fifty miles the amount charged shall not exceed 4½ cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed $2 per ton for the entire distance. If carried thirty miles and not exceeding forty miles the amount charged shall not exceed six cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed $1 80 for the entire distance. If carried twenty miles and not exceeding thirty miles the amount charged shall not exceed eight cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed $1 80 per ton for the entire distance. If carried any distance less than twenty miles the amount charged shall not exceed ten cents per ton per mile and shall not exceed $1 00 for the entire distance

Sec 2. On all railroads that reach an altitude of fifteen hundred feet and more above the level of the ocean at high tide charges may be made on all freights transported over such parts of said road as are at or above such altitude for the distance they are transported upon such part of the road which is above such altitude at a rate fifty cent above the rates allowed by the provisions of this Act

Sec 3. On all articles of a bulky nature such as dry goods furniture machinery agricultural implements hardware [illegible] oils papers wool brooms, broom corn carriages manufactured goods in cases etc such as that 2 000 pounds shall measure 60 cubic feet and less than 60 cubic feet there may be added to the rates allowed by section 1 of this Act 25 per cent thereof and on such as that 2 000 pounds shall measure 60 cubic feet and less than 70 cubic feet there may be added to such rates 50 per cent thereof; pounds shall measure 70 cubic feet and less than 80 cubic feet there may be added to such rate 75 per cent thereof and on all such as that 2 000 pounds shall measure 80 cubic feet and over there may be added to such rates 100 per cent thereof

Sec 4. On all single packages weighing two thousand pounds and less than three thousand pounds there may be added to the rates allowed in section one of this Act twenty-five per cent thereof and on all single packages weighing three thousand pounds and less than four thousand pounds there may be added to such rates fifty per cent thereof and on all single packages weighing four thousand pounds and less than five thousand pounds there may be added to such rates seventy five per cent thereof and on all single packages weighing five thousand pounds and upwards there may be added to such rates one hundred per cent thereof

Sec 5. On all gunpowder camphene acids or any other explosive article of like nature also on glass and glassware there may be added to the rates provided in Section 1 of this Act 100 per cent thereof

Sec 6. All loading and unloading of freight transported over any of the railroads of this State shall be at the expense of the company owning and operating such road, provided said loading or unloading is done at points where the Company has regular stations

Sec 7. No extra amount shall be charged above the rates fixed by this Act on freights of less than one ton, but such freights shall be computed and charged for in proportion as the weight shall be as to one ton, provided that in no case shall any railroad company be required to receive less than twenty five cents for any one lot of freight transported by them for any distance

Sec 8. For each car load of horses cattle hogs sheep or other domestic animals transported over any railroad there shall not be charged an amount exceeding ten tons at the rates specified in Section 1 of this Act

Sec 9. All railroads connecting with each other, whether owned or operated by the same or different persons or corporations, as well as all steamers employed by any railroad in ferrying cars or passengers across or along any of the waters of this State shall, for the purposes of this Act be deemed and considered continuous lines or parts of one and the same railroad

Sec 10. For every violation of any of the provisions or limitations contained in this Act, by any company or corporation owning or operating any railroad in this State, such company or corporation shall forfeit to any party aggrieved thereby the sum of two hundred thousand dollars and the entire amount of freightage or fare thus paid, and the same may be recovered by suit in any Court of this State of competent jurisdiction. In suits brought under the provisions of this Act any number of causes of action may be united in the same complaint

Sec 11. In all actions brought under the provisions of this Act in Justice's Court, the summons and complaint may be served on the company or corporation by delivery of a copy thereof to any officer or agent of the company or corporation against which the damage, penalty, or forfeiture is claimed, who has charge of a depot or station on the line of railroad owned or operated by said company or corporation

Sec 12. In addition to the civil actions in this Act provided, any officer conductor agent or employe of any railroad company or corporation who shall demand or receive any greater amount for freightage or fare than herein allowed shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined in a sum not less than twenty five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars

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THE CO OPERATIVE ERA

Everybody organizes now a days. Co operation is the magic word of the age. The civilization that marks this century as the most stirring of all the centuries is essentially a co operative civilization. Moral, commercial, physical forces all work through aggregation. An enterprise that requires more than a few hundred dollars of capital is launched upon the world under the aegis of a corporate charter with many stockholders and small individual responsibility. But it is not wholly because by these joint stock associations the limit of individual responsibility is easily fixed, that this method of operating is becoming so universal. A given amount of money will accomplish more in nearly any direction when backed by the moral support of a large number of interested persons than when only one is engaged to compete with the rest of the world alone. Every undertaking in this age, and especially in this intensely republican country, is helped or hurt by the moral forces around it, and where everybody takes particular pains to attend to everybody else's business these moral forces are certain to be actively enlisted on one side for or against every business project.

It is this moral power—the power of numbers—more than the money used directly, that has enabled the corporations to wield such overwhelming influence in the governments, Federal and State, during the last few years. True, this influence could not have been wielded with such fatal success, except it had been supplemented by the use of money, but money alone would have been impotent to corrupt the fountains of law and politics as they have been corrupted, had not the road to this result been smoothed through all its extent with the cheers and encouragement of crowds of people, who, assuming to reflect the sentiments and wishes of the masses, were sufficiently numerous to give at least some show of truth to their claims. "*Facilis descensus averni*," is true only when the descent is made with agreeable companionship, or the appearance of popular approbation. Men do not like to go to the bad alone and under the condemnation of their fellow men, even though they may have an opportunity of doing so with their pockets full of money.

And these considerations explain the difficulty of enforcing the laws against the crimes thus brought about, or of vindicating the rights and redressing the wrongs of individual members of community, where the corporations are concerned adversely. The same power that makes the crime possible, or invaded the private right in question, makes and unmakes the courts, and in some cases corrupts the judges themselves. It tampers with jurors, bribing the corrupt among them, deceiving the ignorant, and exercising undue influence over others through the power of a fictious popular sentiment. It uses sheriffs to pack juries, and clerks to falsify records, and suborns witnesses to give false testimony. By all these methods and by such others as the circumstances of the particular case in hand may suggest, is the power of numbers combined with the love of lucre to subvert the appliances of the law and principles of justice to oppress the weak, the single-handed, the disunited many, and to build up and enrich the strong, the combined few. The demand of the hour, then, in legislation, is for laws to meet an evil of a new kind radically different from any that has been met heretofore. Measures adequate to this demand must be such as will reach farther and deeper in their operation than any heretofore devised. They must strike at the root of the evil, by taking hold of the aggregations of men and money, and holding them with the same firm grasp as if they were individual men—tangible with bodies to be punished. They must make the individuals who operate these corporate fictions personally responsible for their misdeeds. They must admit the possession by these bodies of no higher sacredness by reason of the contracts of which their charters are supposed to consist, than that with which the rights of every man in the land are supposed to be invested by reason of his being a man. This is the law of equal, exact, perfect justice to all, and the contest now being waged all over the land, means that the people have awakened to the truth that new and powerful modes are being adopted in the application of the moral forces in commerce and trade, which must be met with equally efficient modes. This awakening throughout the country is what has loosened party ties, severed political relations, driven legislatures and courts, national and local, to begin to retrace the steps of the last ten years, and the end will not come till the people have fully triumphed. Combination and co-operation are met with combination and co-operation.

A TALE ABOUT TAILS—HISTORICAL AND OTHERWISE.

The Legislature of California passed an act some time ago entitled "an act "for the extermination of gophers and squirrels," &c. Under this law the counties were authorized to pay a premium for scalps of these animals. Los Angeles county has received the neat little number of 206 289 scalps and has not paid the premiums in full. In fact the county now owes $10,364 for these scalps and [illegible] the pestiferous "varmints" are as thick as ever.

Which reminds us of a little story. No one familiar with the physiognomy of a certain public functionary connected with the Police Court of a thriving little Pacific coast city could fail to perceive the likeness of the face to that of a rat terrier. Well, this resemblance was so striking, even in the early boyhood of the individual in question, that the town council of the town of Beverly in the State of Ohio where the boy lived reasoned that he would certainly be an efficient slayer of rats and as those rodents were very numerous and a source of great annoyance to the inhabitants of the village the aforesaid town council made a proposition to the terrier boy to the effect that he should be paid out of the public Treasury ten cents in the current coin of the realm for each and every full-length rat tail he would produce to them. Stimulated by this liberal offer, the lad pricked up his ears and rushed furiously forth to the slaughter of the rodents while his face took on more of terrier look than it had ever worn before. Indeed so much did the canine rise above the human expression in the countenance, that it is related that dogs growled and snuffed around him as he passed along the street and dog fanciers patted him on the head involuntarily and cheered him with that peculiar sound that you can make by drawing your breath in between your lips but which nobody ever had the temerity to attempt to spell. In a few days such a multitude of long, hairless narratives were produced by the terrier-boy as completely astounded the village fathers. They pungled over the coveted dimes, however, and the ratter started on another campaign. Again he came with his enormous bundle of tails. The Councilmen began to get nervous. The town would soon be bankrupt at this rate. And then, how could one boy kill so many rats, terrier boy though he was. That was a conundrum which grew more difficult of solution, when upon inquiry nobody had seen him capture a single rodent, and nobody's regular number of these pets was perceptibly diminished. A committee was appointed to investigate the matter. And just now came the third batch of rats' tails, bigger by half than either of the preceding ones. The committee began its investigations by a rigid examination of the rat tails. And here they found a wonder and a horror. There was evidence of fire. Some foul play had been practiced. At last the whole thing was out. The woods were full of grey squirrels, and the terrier-boy had subsidized a dozen or more of other boys to shoot squirrels and bring him their tails for which he paid them three cents apiece, and which could be made into very good ten cent rat tails, by singing off the hair. The contract with the boy was of course rescinded, and a lucrative business was strangled—though they do say the lad formed a habit then that stood him in good stead in other times and places when opportunities to gouge municipal corporations presented themselves.

The remainder of the story we do not vouch for. It is to the effect that the town Council directed the town Attorney to commence a suit forthwith to recover back from the terrier boy the moneys he had received from the public treasury through this fraud, that there was a secret understanding between the attorney and the terrier-boy, that in pursuance of this understanding the papers of the suit were so drawn that a demurrer to the complaint was sustained, and that after dividing the net results of the enterprise with the attorney the boy decamped and the attorney ditto. And it is also said they have never met since, unless they are both in Portland now.

The narrator of this story closed it with what he said was the moral of it. He said—tearfully, for he himself was one of the victimized Councilmen—"look out for that terrier chap. A boy who will rat an honest community like that of Beaverly, in the State of Ohio, with squirrel tails, is certain to make a man that will rat any community in any possible way. He is a regular 'Credit Mobilier' in rats."

There seems to have been a difference of opinion between the Supervisors of Sebastian county, Arkansas and the Sheriff. The Supervisors met at Greenwood the other day and while they were discussing the situation, the Sheriff appeared, presented his bond as Collector of the county (which they had declined to receive) and laid two pistols on the table alongside the document, telling them with a savage glance that they could choose either of the twain. Thereupon the board adjourned, saith the veracious telegraph. The most striking feature of the incident recalls the rattlesnake skin filled with powder and ball of which we read in Puritan history.

The Isthmus Canal project is being quietly pushed at Washington. Among its strongest advocates is Congressman Charles Clayton, of California. The Secretary of the Navy has tendered the use of the steamer *Powhatan* to General Humphrey, who will shortly make a personal inspection of the proposed routes. Commodore Ammen says that a canal via Nicaragua can be completed for $60 000 000 at the highest. General Humphrey's report and estimates will be based on his personal observations. He will be accompanied by several scientific gentlemen of note.

From the Washington correspondence of the San Francisco *Bulletin* we learn that Mr Nesmith has introduced a bill granting the right of way for a projected railroad and telegraph line from Roseburg to Port Orford. The measure calls for no land grant beyond the usual strip of two hundred feet in width and forty acres to each ten miles for stations, &c. This road is one of the imperative needs of Southern Oregon. The bill should be passed.

A PUNCH AT CALEB.—An old and dignified member of the House who has quite a large practice in the Supreme Court was present at its opening this morning. As the Judges in their silk robes filed into the room, the lawyers and officers of the Court rose as usual and the crier closed his speech with his accustomed words "God save the Supreme Court of the United States." The old lawyer as the Court was taking seats remarked to an elbow friend that the one who made that formula had a prophetic soul and by his words must have foreseen that Caleb Cushing would some day preside over it.—*N Y Tribune* [illegible]

MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Republican State Central Committee will meet at Portland on Thursday the 19th day of Feb [illegible] 1874 at [illegible] o clock P M for arranging [illegible] approaching State election and [illegible] business as may be deemed proper.

A full attendance of the members of the Committee is desired.

CHAS W [illegible]

[illegible]

Portland, Jan 20 1874

Members of the Republican State Central Committee.

Baker county	[illegible]
Benton	[illegible]
C[illegible]	[illegible]
Clackamas	[illegible]
Columbia	[illegible]
Clatsop	[illegible]
Curry	M Riley
Douglas	D W Stearns
Grant	J W Church
Jackson	[illegible]
Josephine	Alex Scott
Lane	W W Bristow
Linn	D W Ballard
Marion	[illegible]
Multnomah	[illegible]
Polk	[illegible]
Tillamook	[illegible]
Umatilla	[illegible]
Union	[illegible]
Wasco	[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]
Yamhill	[illegible]

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January [illegible] S S Bailey to Miss D J Lane all of Marshfield Coos county

Jan 14 H W Vanluven to Rosella [illegible] both of Coos county

In Jackson county Feb 1st Joseph H Campbell to Alice A Obenchain

DIED

In this city Feb 9 Hattie E only child of Chas A and Mary C Wheeler aged 8 months 1 week and 4 days

Cincinnati Gazette please copy

In this city Feb [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Johnson aged [illegible] years

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I S ROSENBAUM
N A HIRSTEL
I STRASSBURGER

Portland [illegible] 1874

Thanking our old customers for favors shown us heretofore we respectfully solicit their further patronage.

Mr I Strassburger formerly with Sachs, Strassburger & Co of San Francisco, Cal will hereafter be [illegible] and will in person superintend our business

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DYER & CO.,
Yamhill Street, between First and Second.
Have complete arrangements to fill the market with
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SHIPPING, STORAGE and COMMISSION
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First Street, corner of Ash,
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O. A. & C. M. HIBBARD'S
Celebrated HAND-MADE BOOTS & SHOES
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Over Clarke & Henderson's Store
N. W. Corner First & Washington Sts

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Residence S E corner Seventh and Washington street

NOTICE

HAVING THIS DAY DISPOSED OF MY BUSINESS to L H Levy and Jacob Strauss I take this method of thanking my numerous friends and customers for their liberal patronage and hope that a continuance of the same will be extended to my successors.

All debts due me can be paid to the new firm [illegible] who are authorized to [illegible] liquidation [illegible]

MRS L LEVY

Portland Jan 19 1874

AMUSEMENTS.

MASONIC HALL.
Geological Lectures
ON SUCCESSIVE TUESDAY EVENINGS
BY REV. T. CONDON.
TENTH OF THE SERIES ON
TUESDAY EVENING, FEB 10, 1874
Single Tickets 50 cents. Ladies Free
Tickets for the Course can be had at the door

HERE WE ARE AGAIN!
SECOND
Annual Masquerade
OF
THE PORTLAND TURN VEREIN
AT
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MONDAY EVENING, FEB 16, 1874.

Prizes will be awarded as follows
1st Prize—For the handsomest Lady Character
2d Prize—For the handsomest Gentleman Character
3d Prize—For the most Comic Lady Character
4th Prize—For the most Comic Gentleman Character

During the Evening—Exposure of
BOSCO'S "MARVEL OF MECCA."

All Masks must give their names and name of costume before entering the Hall

Music until 12 o clock by the PORTLAND BRASS BAND—after 12 by YOUNG'S STRING BAND

TICKETS:

Ladies' Masquerade Ticket	$1 00
Gents' " "	1 50
Spectator Ticket	50
Reserved Seats 50c extra	

Those holding Reserved Seat tickets will be allowed to dance after 1 o clock

Tickets may be had at Alisky & Hegele's Wm Pfunder's Drug Store P Van Fridagh's McCormick's Bookstore and of members of the Society

THE COMMITTEE.

GRAND
ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.
SECOND ANNUAL
GRAND BALL.
TO BE GIVEN
AT ANKENY'S HALL.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1874

Tickets admitting Gentleman and Ladies $2 [illegible]

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Professor Gallagher

WILL ON TUESDAY EVENING FEB 3D open his Dancing School Tuesday for school and Friday evening for soirees assisted by Professor Parrish at Nonpareil Hall, corner First and Madison streets

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We have just received direct from the best Manufactory in the U S, a Consignment of
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They are new and beautiful styles and are put up in
$5, $10, $20, $25, $50 Lots,
And single at prices varying from 5 cts to $ each
Dealers will please order early
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MINERS AND OTHERS PROCEEDING TO THE above Mines can be supplied with every requisite for a COMPLETE OUTFIT at
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Goods purchased in Victoria can pass through to the mines FREE OF DUTY
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THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED TO RE ceive on Storage
GENERAL MERCHANDISE, GRAIN AND PRODUCE,
In their Warehouse on Front street just below R P Ferry Landing
BARNARD & GRISWOLD.

Something New!
JONES' SPRING BEDS!
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Cheaper and more serviceable than the Spring Mattress for sale by
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PORTLAND AGENTS
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To the Israelites of Portland and Vicinity.

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A NO. 1 MATZOTH.
All Orders Promptly Attended to
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[illegible] CHAS. McGINN.

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SCHEURER & COYNE,
FOOT OF CLAY STREET ARE PREPARED TO furnish Packing Boxes in any quantity on short notice
APPLE BOXES
A SPECIALTY

MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE CITY PROPERTY Apply to
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HAVE MUCH PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING to the Public of Portland and the residents in the surrounding country districts of Oregon that they have leased those extensive premises

S. E. COR. FIRST AND STARK STS.,

which they are having repainted and decorated throughout and which they will be ready to open with their

Magnificent and Carefully Assorted

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A smart active young man to deliver parcels

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AND
GENERAL IMPORTERS
OF
English & American Goods.
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OCEAN STEAMERS.

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CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

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ORIFLAMME,
FRANCIS CONNOR Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street for the above port

THURSDAY, FEB. 12, 1874,
At 4 o clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets
GEO W WEIDLER, Agent.

FOR VICTORIA, PORT TOWNSEND, SEATTLE, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE, AND SITKA.
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CALIFORNIA,
JOHN HAYES Commander

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STEAMER ZEPHYR,

Will leave SEATTLE for SNOHOMISH RIVER every MONDAY, returning same day

For TACOMA, STEILACOOM and OLYMPIA, TUESDAY and FRIDAY. Returning WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY

Any person wishing to connect with ZEPHYR for down Sound Ports can do so by leaving Portland on TUESDAY and FRIDAY until further notice

J. R. ROBBINS,
Owner

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RIVER STEAMERS.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o clock A. M

FOR ASTORIA—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A. M

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.

S G REED Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's
STEAMBOATS.
Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept. 22d, the steamer
E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7 30 A. M. for Portland, returning, will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2.30 P M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 8.15 A. M., connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Monday Wednesday and Friday, connecting at Oregon City with the O & C.R.R. Co at 3 P. M. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Portland.

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C. R. R. Co, at REDUCED RATES.

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE.

Freight received until 5 P M
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Willamette River Transportation Co.'s
STEAMERS
WILL LEAVE
FLANDERS' WHARF AT 6 o'clock A. M.
As follows

FOR CORVALLIS AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Wednesday and Friday

FOR ALBANY AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

FOR DAYTON AND McMINNVILLE—Saturday and Monday.

Passage to Corvallis	$2 00
Passage to Albany	1 50
Passage to Salem	1 00
Passage to McMinnville	1 00

B. GOLDSMITH, President.

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THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
JAS W TROUPE Master,

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver, at 2.30 P. M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A. M

For freight or passage apply on board.

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WILL MAKE TRI WEEKLY TRIPS between
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Leaving American Exchange Wharf every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 7 o clock A M call ing in at Lewis River on Wednesday up and Thursday down

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An article long needed by the public have just been received from the East by

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200 bxs Candles
10 kegs S I Syrup
150 bxs C O Soap.
60 bxs I X L Soap
75 bxs L B Soap

ALSO

20 cases 992 lbs Virginia Lu Leaf To

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OFFERS FOR SALE
PAINTS, OILS, WHITE
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COAL OIL, Downer's Boston;
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WALL PAPER

BLUE [illegible]

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HAVING BEEN [illegible] SOLE for the [illegible] brand of Whiskey [illegible] invoice of in barrels half [illegible] cases, which pared to offer to [illegible] jobbing rates

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The Daily Oregonia

TUESDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 1

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ADJUDGED INSANE.—Mrs America Br[illegible] examined yesterday before Judge H[illegible] and on sufficient showing and corro[illegible] medical evidence was adjudged insane [illegible] committing the unfortunate lady to th[illegible] lum were accordingly issued and she co[illegible] to that institution. This lady is age[illegible] 39 years, has been twice married and [illegible] mother of several children. She is a n[illegible] Indiana and immigrated to this State [illegible] from Iowa. The insanity of the lady [illegible] tributable to an accident which befel h[illegible] ing her younger days. When but [illegible] she was thrown from a horse an[illegible] tained severe [illegible] reason of the f[illegible] addition [illegible] the horse stepped on t[illegible] portion of her [illegible] and it was though[illegible] tured the skull. [illegible] portion of h[illegible] never felt [illegible] after the accident [illegible] times gave her much trouble. On [illegible] within a short time has Mrs Bryan[illegible] menced to [illegible] strong and unmist[illegible] symptoms of insanity. The unfortuna[illegible] and her family [illegible] sympathies of [illegible]

STATE VS GLASS.—The Supreme Cour[illegible] State now sitting at Salem has affirm[illegible] decision of the Circuit Court for this [illegible] in the well known case of the State of [illegible] vs [illegible] November [illegible] here and [illegible] exceptions taken [illegible] dendant [illegible] in ou[illegible] having passed upon his case the def[illegible] can have no hope [illegible] the clemency [illegible] Executive to escape the punishment [illegible] five years [illegible] to which he [illegible] sentenced.

Too [illegible] days ago Cap[illegible] Kellogg [illegible] the steamer [illegible] down [illegible] To d[illegible] the bo[illegible] be brought dow[illegible] the rapids [illegible] of the Tualatin [illegible] At the [illegible] was made Cap[illegible] Kellogg [illegible] the stage o[illegible] would [illegible] passage of the boat [illegible] ever on [illegible] made the wat[illegible] found [illegible] the effort w[illegible] ponantly [illegible]

MEETING [illegible] The O[illegible] Association [illegible] of the Order of P[illegible] of Husbandry [illegible] at the Masoni[illegible] East Portland [illegible] Tuesday Feb 10, 187[illegible] o clock P M. [illegible] Grange is enti[illegible] send three [illegible] whom the M[illegible] be one. It is hoped that all Gr[illegible] already represented will send delegates [illegible] iness of interest and importance to th[illegible] will be transacted.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the record[illegible] U S Signal Station of Observation Po[illegible] Oregon, February 9, 1874

	7 A M	2 P M
Thermometer	41	48
Wind, direction	S	S W
velocity miles per hour	2	4
Weather	Foggy	Cloudy
Total rainfall during the day		0.0

GRANGE AGENCY.—Hon A [illegible] Dufu[illegible] has been appointed agent for the Grang[illegible] this State arrived in our city last evening [illegible] Wasco county. He comes to make p[illegible] nary arrangements for entering upon t[illegible] ties of his agency. He expects to op[illegible] office for business in Portland about th[illegible] of March.

NO COURT.—For some reason Judge [illegible] did not make his appearance yesterday [illegible] ing and consequently there was no [illegible] Court held. There were no cases howe[illegible] importance to come up for trial—onl[illegible] cases of simple drunks.

DISCHARGING BALLAST.—The three [illegible] now lying at Flanders wharf—*Hans* [illegible] *Steen* [illegible]—are all engaged in dis[illegible] ing ballast. In a few days these vessels [illegible] ready to receive cargo.

SOCIAL EVENTS

A number of our colored citizens w[illegible] the light fantastic at Philharmonic [illegible] evening.

Never since the opening of Ankeny [illegible] has that spacious room been so tast[illegible] decorated. The walls were covere[illegible] evergreens interspersed with miniature [illegible] can flags and occasionally a flag [illegible] German States. The gas fixtures [illegible] hidden with ivy and evergreens an[illegible] flags were seen to protrude at int[illegible] Long drooping bows of evergreen fel[illegible] the walls some distance while in the [illegible] the effect was much greater by the aid [illegible] imitation [illegible] in the streaming [illegible] evergreen. The stage was literally covered with [illegible] both natural and evergreen. [illegible] filled with choice flowers hung from th[illegible] centre and [illegible] level of the stage [illegible] wreath of evergreens the four letters [illegible] [illegible]

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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LOCAL BREVITIES

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PAPER.

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CITY.

FANNIE TROUP.—Yesterday morning the steamer R[illegible] started down the river for the mouth of the Cowlitz, where the *Fannie Troup* now lies submerged where she sunk last Saturday afternoon. Two very large scows will be taken from St Helens by the *Rescue* which are to be employed in raising the sunken craft. We learn that the O S N Co propose to make the boat and make only such temporary repairs as will enable her to be brought to this city. The *Troup* will then be placed on the ways and a new hull built which is to be of larger dimensions than the present one. The hull is quite old but the machinery and boiler is good as new and the upper works will [illegible] years to come. The *Fannie Troup* was built some years ago at Vancouver by Wm [illegible] who was the principal owner. She was constructed with express reference to run between Vancouver and Portland. Under the command of Capt Turnbull the boat was engaged in that business for several years. A short time before the steamer was sold to the O S N Co she was thoroughly overhauled, her cabin almost entirely rebuilt, and new machinery and boiler placed in. The boat shortly after again resuming the line was purchased by the O S N Co, which corporation have since owned her. Since she was overhauled the *Fannie Troup* has been constantly in service with the exception of a few weeks rest at the boneyard between long intervals. She is altogether too valuable a boat to be lost by the company and they have wisely determined to rebuild her hull and thus place the boat in a condition to render service for years. As soon as the boat can be raised and towed to this city she will go on the ways at the boneyard and a number of workmen will commence at once on the new hull. She will probably be ready for service by the middle of spring.

ADJUDGED INSANE.—Mrs America Bryant was examined yesterday before Judge Hamilton and on sufficient showing and corroborative medical evidence was adjudged insane. Papers committing the unfortunate lady to the Asylum were accordingly issued and she conveyed to that institution. This lady is aged about 39 years, has been twice married and is the mother of several children. She is a native of Indiana and immigrated to this State directly from Iowa. The insanity of the lady is attributable to an accident which befel her during her younger days. When but a girl, she was thrown from a horse and sustained severe injuries by reason of the fall. In addition to this, the horse stepped on the back portion of her head and it was thought fractured the skull. That portion of her head never felt natural after the accident and at times gave her much trouble. Only until within a short time has Mrs Bryant commenced to manifest strong and unmistakable symptoms of insanity. The unfortunate lady and her family have the sympathies of friends.

STATE VS GLASS.—The Supreme Court of the State, now sitting at Salem has affirmed the decision of the Circuit Court for this district, in the well known case of the State of Oregon vs C G Glass tried at the November term here and appealed on exceptions taken by defendant. So the highest tribunal in our State having passed upon his case the defendant can have no hope, but in the clemency of the Executive to escape the punishment of the five years imprisonment to which he stands sentenced.

TOO SHALLOW.—Some days ago Capt Jos Kellogg attempted to bring the steamer *Onward* down into the Wallamet river. To do this, the boat would have to be brought down over the rapids at the mouth of the Tualatin river. At the time the attempt was made, Capt Kellogg was of opinion that the stage of water would admit of the passage of the boat. However on the trial being made, the water was found to be too shallow, so the effort was temporarily abandoned.

MEETING OF THE O P H.—The Oregon Union Association of Granges of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry, will meet at the Masonic Hall, East Portland, on Tuesday, Feb 10, 1874 at 1 o'clock, P M. Each Grange is entitled to send three delegates, of whom the Master shall be one. It is hoped that all Granges not already represented will send delegates as business of interest and importance to the Order will be transacted.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon, February 9 1874.

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	41°	43°	42°
Wind, direction	S	S W	S
velocity miles pr hour	2	14	10
Weather	Foggy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Total rainfall during the day			0 06 inches

GRANGE AGENCY.—Hon A. J. Dufur, who has been appointed agent for the Grangers of this State, arrived in our city last evening from Wasco county. He comes to make preliminary arrangements for entering upon the duties of his agency. He expects to open an office for business in Portland about the first of March.

NO COURT.—For some reason Judge Denny did not make his appearance yesterday morning, and consequently there was no Police Court held. There were no cases however of importance to come up for trial—only a few cases of simple drunks.

DISCHARGING BALLAST.—The three vessels now lying at Flanders wharf—*Hazard*, *Ella Stuart* and *Pil[illegible]*—are all engaged in discharging ballast. In a few days these vessels will be ready to receive cargo.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

A number of our colored citizens will trip the light fantastic at Philharmonic Hall this evening.

Never since the opening of Ankeny's Hall has that spacious room been so tastefully decorated. The walls were covered with evergreens interspersed with miniature American flags and occasionally a flag of the German States. The gas fixtures were hidden with ivy and evergreens and little flags were seen to protrude at intervals. Long drooping bows of evergreen fell from the walls some distance while in the center the effect was much greater by the addition of imitation roses set in the streaming bow of evergreen.

The stage was literally covered with flags of both nations and evergreens. Ferns and baskets filled with choice flowers hung from the proscenium and in the center, some six feet above the level of the stage were encircled in a wreath of evergreens the four letters A D [illegible] which translated indicated the title of the organization thus: Allgemeine Deutsche Unterstutzungs Gesellschaft (German Aid Society). These comprised the decorations and were only to be seen to be appreciated. The assembly, though large, appeared quite small in such a great room. While some danced others whiled away the time at the various tables which were arranged along each side of the room. The music was really very fine and the committee [illegible] Messrs Chas Hegele William Kanus J Krumbein A [illegible] Staender and Jos Bachman were [illegible] to the guests. [illegible] the affair was an entire success [illegible]

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Thos J Cot[illegible] and wife to W [illegible] and W [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] containing 40 acres [illegible] \$[illegible]

[illegible] and wife to [illegible] lots [illegible] block 14 [illegible] \$400

Andrew J Dufur and wife to [illegible] Moore [illegible] section 14 [illegible] in Multnomah county, containing 14 82 100 acres [illegible] \$150

[illegible] and wife to [illegible] Strowbridge lot 4, [illegible] in the city of Portland [illegible]

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Pive still [illegible]

The *Orifiamme* was [illegible] days out on her last trip down.

Bright sunshine weather yesterday morning but it made up for it in the afternoon.

Works of fiction find more readers than any other class of books in the Portland Library.

The British barks *Nabob* and *Star of [illegible]* from San Francisco are due. Captain [illegible] [illegible] the *Star of [illegible]*

MILITARY NOTES.

The following order was received from Washington a few days ago by Major H Clay Wood A A General:

First Lieutenant W H Boyle is now acting as Chief Commissary of Subsistence of this Department.

Capt Chas H [illegible] has been appointed to act as Inspector of a number of cavalry horses at Fort Walla Walla.

Capt Marcus P B Miller of the Fourth Artillery is appointed to act as Inspector on certain Subsistence Stores at Fort Stevens.

Major Elmer Otis of the First Cavalry has been appointed to act as Inspector on certain ordnance and ordnance stores at Camp Harney.

Major I C Mason of the Twenty First Infantry has been appointed to act as Inspector on certain Subsistence Stores at Fort Vancouver.

Surgeon James T Ghiselin is relieved from acting as attending Surgeon in this city to enable him to avail himself of the leave of absence granted.

Under authority from the War Department Assistant Surgeon Augustus W Wiggins is detailed temporarily for duty as attending Surgeon in this city.

Major W H Bell formerly Chief Commissary of Subsistence of the Department of the Columbia has turned over his office to Lieut Boyle and is awaiting orders from Washington.

Hospital Steward W H H King recently appointed now at Fort Lapwai Idaho Territory will proceed to Fort Vancouver W T and report to the Commanding Officer for temporary duty.

Rumors injurious to the reputation of an officer are liable to produce mischief if incorrect will not be reported by Inspectors without careful investigation and definite ascertainment of facts.

Lieutenant Colonel Frank Wheaton of the Twenty first Infantry has been appointed to act as Inspector on certain subsistence stores at Fort Klamath and also as Inspector of certain medical and hospital property at the same post.

Whenever it becomes the duty of an Inspector to investigate reports, allegations or irregularities prejudicial to the character of a commissioned officer he will invariably make known to that officer the nature of the accusation against him, and give him an opportunity to make, in writing, his own statement upon the subject which statement will be embodied in, and form a part of, the Inspector's report.

A General Court Martial was ordered by Gen Davis to convene at Vancouver on the 3d inst for the trial of such persons as should be brought before it. The following officers were detailed for duty: Major R H Alexander, Major I C Mason, Capt H W Janes, Capt Geo H Burton, First Lieut John I Johnson, Second Lieut E B Rheem, Second Lieut H D W Moore, Capt Aug W Wiggins. After several days session the court adjourned. The findings of the court were forwarded to Gen Davis, but have not been promulgated yet.

THE COURTS.

U S CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J

MONDAY, Feb 9 1874

A I Nicklin vs W I Wythe et ux decree for plaintiff.

Eliza E Roff vs A D Wass et al decree affirming decree of District Court in favor of libellants.

J W Fitch vs J A Blanchard et al motion for decree against J A Blanchard and wife denied, motion for leave to Blanchard and wife to file plea allowed upon payment of costs of this motion and \$10, and to file plea by next Monday.

E T Weeks vs W S Ladd et al order heretofore made modified that plaintiff file amended complaint on payment of \$10 and costs.

A H Barker vs W S Ladd et al same order as last.

I A Sanderson vs W. S Ladd et al same order as above.

Thos Callahan, a native of Ireland admitted to citizenship.

T V Shoup on motion of J W Whalley admitted to the Bar.

H H Shuffleton vs Robert Nelson jurors drawn to try the cause: Thomas Stephens, G L Hibbard, S Blumauer, S Rosenblatt, W H Brackett, Wm Kapus, Lloyd Brooke, D I Harrington, Wm Braden, Frank Dekum, B F Goodwin and J H Ritchie; cause on trial at adjournment of court.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, J

The following are the officers of the Court: I M Caywood, Sheriff; Alfred F Turner, Crier; Daniel Rathbun, T J Dryer and F A Clark, Bailiffs; Geo H Durham, District Attorney; W H Harris, Clerk; by Jas A Waters, Deputy.

The following persons were appointed Grand Jurors by the Court: G Hamm, G W Holsapple, J W Murray, Henry Webber, Wm Cornell, Levi Anderson, E F Cornell.

Levi Anderson was appointed foreman.

The following jurors were excused until Monday: H Rothfos, Wm Love, H Garling and Henry Shattuck.

The following jurors were excused for the term: John Murphy, W S Gordon, H Young, F A Clark, D J W Stemme, W Graham.

J C Chapman vs P O C Newell, cause dismissed.

Burton & Williams vs A P Ankeny cause dismissed.

J I Allard vs Schurer & Coyne cause dismissed.

City of Portland vs O N Denny judgment for defendant for costs.

Lafayette J Moore vs Joseph Hosmer cause dismissed.

Michael Doyle vs City of Portland cause continued for the term.

S A Dray same continued for the term.

H C Gordion vs same continued for the term.

D Shea vs same, continued for the term.

E F Smith vs same, continued for the term.

H F Wilder vs same, continued for the term.

Geo Smith et ux vs Chris Sleger cause dismissed.

J I Henderson vs Stimson & Co cause dismissed.

Northrup & Thompson vs Geo W Wiedler cause dismissed.

S P Tierney vs Geo H Givens cause dismissed for want of prosecution.

Van B Delashmutt vs B C Wright et ux default and decree against defendant.

E B Babbitt vs C I Wass et ux decree for foreclosure against defendants.

A Goodnough vs A G Cunningham cause dismissed.

A Hinman vs J J Hoffman et al judgment against defendant for \$285 and costs.

M Lichtenstein vs A Ballard motion to make complaint more specific overruled.

Woodard & Co vs Ben Holladay continued for the term.

Geo M Flanders vs O C R R Co dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

G R H Miller vs Mary E Miller motion to make complaint more specific overruled.

[illegible] a good first [illegible] place and we can recommend the [illegible] Mr [illegible] Wellbrener [illegible] respectable place [illegible] quality [illegible] highest standard of excellence [illegible]

Dr Bostwick's Card.

[illegible]

H C BOSTWICK M D

We notice [illegible]

[illegible]

THE BEST [illegible] with [illegible] Hostetter's Bitters [illegible]

For Toothache Drops [illegible]

REV J. F. DeVORE'S VINDICATION.

To the Editor of the Oregonian: I am now passing through the great calamity of my life, but I hope you will bear with me and not prejudice my case nor suppose the already gone to the [illegible]. I was converted to God in the [illegible] of my age. For more than thirty years I have been a minister of the Gospel trying to preach faithfully the doctrines and duties of our holy Christianity. Upwards of twenty years ago I came with my family [illegible] and have been doing my best since then to build up churches, schools and other interests of [illegible] in Oregon and Washington Territory. I claim nothing for all this, for it was simply my duty. But now by the judgment of five of my brethren in the ministry I am suspended from all ministerial and church privileges until the ensuing Annual Conference, at which time there will be a rehearing of my case, and a verdict which I know will be just and impartial. A simple statement of the facts is all that I wish to present before you at present.

I was arraigned in this city before an Ecclesiastical Court on the [illegible] day of February, having received but ten days notice of who my accuser was. Rev W Roberts was chairman, and the committee consisted of Revs N Doane, J H Allyn, G W Izer, C W Shaw and [illegible]. The first three of these were challenged for cause, but by some means they were all retained. Protests against the presiding officer against being tried out of my own District and against going to trial without more preparation were all overruled by the chairman and the examination was pushed through.

The general charge brought against me was *Immoral conduct*, under which were no less than eleven specifications, all of which [illegible] expected to sustain that charge. Of these eight were laid aside, voted down or judged insufficient to sustain the general charge. Only three out of eleven were sustained and judged of sufficient moral turpitude to sustain the charge. What were those specifications?

1. In that under oath and under special instruction that his compensation should be \$10 per day for every day necessarily employed in making said appraisement he did falsely and covetously charge for 36 days as engaged in such appraisement when he was not so engaged for that length of time.

I and two others were appointed by the Government as appraisers of some property at Neah Bay, W T. From the time that two of us received our commissions until we finally could agree on the award was just thirty six days. Our first bills against the Government were therefore made out for that length of time. But upon learning through the proper officer that not more than twelve days of the time could be allowed I immediately modified my bill to that amount. They were days of danger and great anxiety. I have not yet received a cent, and know not that I ever shall.

2. In that he falsely perverted the language of [illegible] Kemble uttered in the presence of men whom he had selected to witness the interview by representing him as saying "You stated to us on yesterday that you was too green and weak for the position which you occupied"—such language being a false and wicked perversion of what he did say.

The evidence which convicted me of this specification did not rest upon the *fact* in the case but upon the judgment of one who was the only witness in the case, and he one of the committee. His testimony before the committee was that Mr Kemble said in the interview, I am green, unsophisticated and almost unfitted for my office [illegible] compared with myself. All I said about the matter was to Mr Kemble himself to whom I wrote the day following saying to him that from various circumstances I was led to conclude that he was correct in stating to us the day previous that he was too green and weak for the position he occupied. I then sent a copy of this note to the one who judges of the matter as above. I have no objection to that judgment but I do object to being condemned by it. I emphatically deny having intentionally perverted Mr Kemble's language, but used it as nearly as I could and with the intention of giving my opinion of him in his own words. Yet strange to say, the committee unanimously sustain this specification and then vote unanimously that the specification sustains the general charge of immorality. As there was but the one witness on this specification it proves that his mind was made up previously, and therefore it was injustice to me that he should sit on the committee.

The third specification charged me with falsehood in a certain statement made concerning Mr E Turner and to which his card in the *Advocate* of December last referred. I never intended to misstate the facts in that case, and after the said card appeared, I saw Mr Turner and the whole matter was amicably settled as his subsequent card affirmed.

Having thus stated as nearly as I can, the facts in this ecclesiastical proceeding I leave it with my friends. My purpose is by the grace of God to bear, as best I may, this singular furlough extended to me by my ministerial brethren. It shall in no way swerve me from my purpose to serve my God. "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation or distress or persecution or famine or nakedness or peril or sword? Nay in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us." —Rev viii 35

J F DEVORE

A CONVICT RECAPTURED.

Officer McCoy arrested a man at Corvallis on Sunday evening, named Daniel Baker who it appears is an escaped convict. In November, 1870, the United States mail and Wells Fargo & Co's express was robbed at White Pine on Rattlesnake creek, by a party of highwaymen. Subsequently three of the robbers were arrested. Several of the accessories turned State evidence and these three parties were tried, found guilty and sentenced to hard labor in the penitentiary at Carson City for 30 years. The prisoners were sentenced in January 1871, and in September of the same year two of them named respectively Leander Morton and Daniel Baker effected an escape during an excitement occasioned by a mutiny among the prisoners. The third person was not fortunate enough to make his escape. Morton some time after getting out was captured for committing a grave crime and hung by the vigilantes. Baker managed to reach Oregon in safety and took up his residence at Corvallis. He has lived there for the past two years. During that time he has conducted himself in a very respectable manner, been industrious and steady, and evinced a disposition to reform and lead a better life. Only about three months since he was married to a very respectable young lady of Corvallis. On being arrested he acknowledged to McCoy that he was one of the guilty parties engaged in the robbery. Yesterday evening Baker was brought to this city and placed in jail where he will be confined until the sailing of the steamer when he is to be taken back to Carson City and surrendered to the authorities. Baker is a small slight built man [illegible] years old, weighs not to exceed 130 pounds. Although there is a determined resolute expression about his countenance betokening great nerve, yet there is nothing forbidding or vicious in his appearance. [illegible] Baker has expressed much regret [illegible] [illegible] that he had regretted [illegible] times his complicity in the [illegible] a better man. His conduct while at Corvallis [illegible] the sincerity of his repentance [illegible] distracted [illegible]

If you want watches [illegible]

Strike directly at the cause [illegible]

Samaritan Lodge No 2 I O O F

Meets every [illegible] in Odd Fellows' Hall, Alder street. [illegible] invited to attend. By order of [illegible] N G

CITY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

PORTLAND Feb 9th 1874

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I had the pleasure of attending a session of the City Teachers' Institute on Saturday, and as I do not see any report of the proceedings in your issue of this morning, I think it may be that a few items will interest your readers. Quite a number were present, but few took part in the exercises or seemed to take any interest in the meeting. I was sorry to see the apathy of some of the teachers. It seems to me the meetings of the Institute might be rendered [illegible] interesting and profitable if all would take part in them, that the interchange of ideas of those engaged in educating the youth of our city could not be otherwise than beneficial to all concerned.

Two of the lady teachers had each a class present and explained their method of teaching reading and addition. I was very much pleased to see how perfectly the little ones had been drilled, as with the promptness with which Mrs Freeman's class answered the long list of [illegible] questions which form a part of the oral instructions in all the schools. No difference how much we may doubt the wisdom of asking all those questions we can but admire the manner in which the lady had carried out the instructions of the Board of Directors. It certainly showed infinite pains and great faithfulness on her part.

The work of conducting the exercises seemed to fall upon the ladies, while the gentlemen took upon themselves the onerous and arduous duty of criticising them.

But one gentleman attempted to illustrate anything on the blackboard. He was the Lightning Calculator, and in endeavoring to do an example in addition insisted that he [illegible] Lightning Calculator indeed. Had he done half as well as the children I should be happy to give him credit for it. One gentleman in his role of critic gave it as his opinion that the pupils had been [illegible] and as he elegantly phrased it teaching those things to the children was something on the sausage stuffing principle. Let this be as it may Prof S W King, Head Principal etc etc etc is responsible. City Superintendent of Public Instruction was long enough but his new title quite takes away my breath.

And now the question arises, do the interests of the schools of Portland demand such an officer? Is it positively necessary that the people of Portland be taxed to support any person in that position?

I do not wish to be understood here as meaning the one employed—but any one. If it be necessary to employ any person I suppose Prof King is as suitable a person as could be found, as I understand he is a gentleman of large experience and ripe scholarship, but would it not be better to do away with this office, and let the taxpayers of Portland can afford this extra sum of eighteen hundred dollars divide it among the underpaid lady teachers? One of the gentlemen in speaking of the Teachers' Institute, said he thought they could afford to spend three hours once a month, as the teachers of Portland were munificently paid.

I suppose he was speaking for himself and the other gentlemen. If so I agree with him, but if he was speaking for the lady teachers who do all the drudgery and hard work in the lower departments for *one third* as much as he receives I do not agree with him.

During the session on Saturday the ladies with few exceptions maintained a dignified silence.

One lady at the risk of her life moved that the hour of meeting be changed to a more convenient season. I thought it was carried. If it has been overruled by the Board of Directors as I see in this morning's paper that they are still to meet at 10 A M, so the lady risked her life for nothing. Probably had the motion been made by a man it would have prevailed, but the ladies should remember that as yet they have no rights which the Board is bound to respect. The time for the annual election of school officers is drawing near. Would it not be a good plan to elect a lady Director?

Women as well as men are interested—not only in the cause of education but in the comfort and pleasure of the children while in the school room. There are many things which occur in the schools that the ladies feel a delicacy in speaking to a gentleman about, and yet it is right that the Directors should know of them. And then women understand children a great deal better than men possibly can, and are better calculated to make rules for their government.

I understand that those now in authority have made rules forbidding the children to have water or leave the school room except at intermission. This may be a good plan to adopt with regard to the large pupils but it is positive cruelty to the little ones in the primaries. No difference how the kind heart of the teacher may rebel at these unjust rules she must carry out the suggestions of the man with the long title or in all probability she will lose her place.

This may be all right but it does not look so to an

OBSERVER

FASHION NOTES.

The Directoire bonnet with high [illegible] coronet is the latest.

Black velvet bonnets are still the favorites for winter wear.

Huge black Spanish fans [illegible] much used at balls in eastern cities.

"Habits" are a very stylish [illegible] and are very much like riding habit.

Ball bouquets are much used. The flowers match the dress in [illegible] particular.

Dresses for the Lenten season are [illegible] but [illegible] worn outside of the large cities.

New York ladies—and it is general these panicky times—are economical in the matter of [illegible]

[illegible] the late importation [illegible] are massive [illegible] expensive.

[illegible] for the ball room toilet is that of tying [illegible] velvet ribbon around the arm above the elbow and adding a bracelet of [illegible] at [illegible] the wrist.

A pretty thing in ball room toilets is a [illegible] for holding the dance [illegible] and handkerchief. This is made of the material of the dress or the [illegible] of its trimming.

The fashionable ball dress for young ladies is [illegible] The dresses have flounces [illegible] skirt [illegible] striped gauze [illegible] the [illegible] high in the neck [illegible] sleeve [illegible] every direction.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

[illegible]

VANCOUVER ITEMS.

Under date of the 8th our regular correspondent writing from Vancouver says:

Morning fogs on the Columbia are becoming prevalent—an indication of better weather.

The County Commissioners Court adjourned on Friday to meet on the 9th of March, special term. The amount of bills allowed is \$1 319. The consideration of a bridge across Lewis river was left for the special term in March although it is understood the Commissioners have made verbal pledge to the effect that they will contribute about \$1 500 towards the bridge, if the citizens in the vicinity will raise the balance. Dr D Wall was appointed County Physician in place of Dr McLean. Nathan E Fletcher appointed Constable for Lacomas Precinct. A large portion of the time of the Court was taken up in considering petitions for roads and report of viewers.

On Friday last the monthly examinations of the public schools took place. This is a new feature in our school arrangements and we think a very commendable one. The intention is to have these examinations each month to show to the public the progress of pupils and faithfulness and competency of teachers. In the Primary Department under Miss J Eddings, the scholars acquitted themselves well—better than we had expected. In the intermediate grade we thought too much had been attempted. Brains will absorb a certain amount and no more. If scholars are pushed along over their books too fast they will be imperfect in their recitations. Miss Clark is a faithful and conscientious teacher but if she will shorten her lessons to about one-third their present proportions she will find that her pupils will learn faster. In the highest grade Prof Curtis examined several classes which showed thorough instruction, and faithfulness on the part of the pupils. Great improvements have been made in our public schools within the past few months and it is to be hoped that we shall not go back on this. In justice to the teachers we may say that they labor under the disadvantage of having regraded the schools on the 1st of January, and that as the books of the late Superintendent of Schools were adopted at that time the pupils have had hard work before them. We believe, that by the next monthly examination greater proficiency will be shown than at the present. The monthly reports of the pupils were read on Friday and we hope this will be continued.

EUGENE CITY ITEMS.

Vivian gave an entertainment at Lane's Hall on Friday and Saturday evenings of last week.

The ladies of the Episcopal Church give an entertainment at Lane's Hall on Thursday and Friday next.

A meeting of the Grangers of this county is announced to be held in this city on the 26th inst, consisting of five delegates from each Lodge. The meeting is called on important business.

The people on the Willamette were startled on Saturday evening by a cry of fire. The alarm came from Mrs Wilsey's restaurant and was caused by leaving a lighted candle too near to some clothing hanging in a closet. The fire was easily extinguished, and no damage was done beyond scorching two or three dresses.

Articles were yesterday filed incorporating the Eugene Library Association with a capital stock of \$250 in fifty shares of \$5 each with the privilege of further increasing the stock \$10 000. This is a modest beginning of a very useful enterprise. Little more will be attempted at present than to furnish a reading-room with late periodicals where they will be acceptable to all who wish to read them. A committee was appointed to canvass the town for subscriptions, who are to report at the next meeting to be held on the 20th inst.

NEWS ITEMS FROM INDEPENDENCE.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT]

Great preparations are made for a grand ball on the 20th.

The steam and flatboats are clearing the warehouses rapidly. Not over 45 000 bushels of wheat in the town.

The Methodist Episcopal Church South has been holding a revival meeting for the last fourteen days. A great many, but mostly young folks are joining the church.

A narrow escape from fire. Mr Butler's saddle shop caught on the roof, and but for timely assistance the whole town might have suffered as all the buildings are close and all of wood.

A subscription list is handed around to build a church at this place, to be under the control of the M E Church South but free to all denominations. Over \$600 was raised in three hours for that purpose.

The political wireworkers are around button holing, but I believe the Grangers intend to have something to say. I could inform you about rumors of who are going to be their candidates but it is not authentic.

WELLBRED

COOS BAY ITEMS.

Our Empire City correspondent sends the following under date of Feb 4th:

Items are scarce.

Improvements continue at Marshfield.

The new steamer *Lyon* is expected hourly.

The new officers of Arago Lodge I O O F were installed on the 24th ult.

The County Court at the January term allowed claims to the amount of \$3 102 10.

Mr James O Shinn has gone into the oyster ing business—that is he has planted a bed a few miles south of here as an experiment.

The schooner *Jane A Falkinburg* and steamer *East [illegible]* arrived, and schooners *Parallel*, *Ivanhoe*, *J H Rosefeld*, [illegible] *Golden [illegible]* and *H L Tiernan* sailed since my last.

The body of James [illegible] alias Ben Smith who was drowned from the tug *Rechabite* on the bar at the same time Capt Elliot lost his life (Dec 22d) was found on the ocean beach last week. The body was buried in the city cemetery.

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IMPORTATION OF RELICS

SACRED TREASURES FROM THE ITALIAN CHURCHES—NEW YORK CITY CAN NOW GAZE UPON SPLINTERS OF THE TRUE CROSS AND OF THE MANGER OF BETHLEHEM WITH MANY OTHER CURIOSITIES OF INTEREST TO THE FAITHFUL

From the N Y Sun Jan 15

An invitation to call on the Rev J M Gartner [illegible] Convent of the Most Holy Redeemer in Third street, at 2 P M last Saturday was answered by a Sun reporter who rang the monastery bell at that hour and was warmly welcomed by Lay Brother Gabriel After a few minutes waiting in the vestibule where hangs a magnificently decorated portrait of the Holy Father the reporter was conducted by a winding staircase into a low vaulted chapel beneath the foundations of the church At the upper end of this subterranean chapel, which was draped with red and brilliantly lighted was an alter literally covered with gold and silver remonstrances and reliquaries glittering in a galaxy of shining tapers Above the alter hung a beautiful painting of Jesus of the Sacred Heart Within the altar rails sat a priest in the black habit of the order of the Sacred Heart and with Mr Dennis Sadlier of the New York *Tablet* Another gentleman was leaning on the altar rail, listening attentively to the conversation of the priest and Mr Sadlier They were all fixedly gazing at one of the reliquaries which the priest held in his hand while explaining the nature of the holy relic it enclosed Inserted in the walls of the chapel were stereoscopes lighted from above.

The priest who was conversing with the gentlemen was Father Gartner of the Sclavonian Missionary Institute of Milwaukee His fine face beamed with pleasure as he explained that he had just returned from a long pilgrimage in Europe, and had brought back not only 500 or more stereoscopic views of Rome Naples Florence, Venice, and the now celebrated town and valley of Lourdes but also a large number of

SACRED RELICS,

some of antiquity dating back to the life and sufferings of the divine Saviour of mankind He added that owing to the disturbed condition of Italy for the last five years, the Holy Father and the Vatican Council had decmed it unsafe to leave the sacred relics which have been preserved in the churches of Rome and Italy, in the depositories where they have been kept for ages, and therefore all such relics have been removed from these churches to the Custodia Apostolica adjoining the Vatican and now His Holiness and the College of Cardinals had decided to send a part of these relics to America, as a safer place for them than Italy or any country in Europe These relics are not to remain in the Convent and Church of the Most Holy Redeemer on Third street They will, after having been exposed for the veneration of the faithful on the high altar of the Church—the exposition beginning some time about the 1st of February—be distributed to the various cathedrals and bishops of America to whose custody they have been confided by the Supreme Pontiff. Among the relics whose precise nature the Rev Father described and gave permission to mention, were pieces of the holy cross and of

THE MANGER OF BETHLEHEM,

and some minute portions of the garments of the Saviour, of the Blessed Virgin, of St Joseph and of St Andrew In addition to these were relics of St Augustine and many of the early saints, fathers, confessors, virgins and martyrs Father Gartner showed the gentlemen the manner in which these relics were enclosed in the relic cases Each outer case can be removed by loosening certain screws Within is an inner case or capsular The rim of the capsular is of pure gold or silver; the face of glass, firmly fitted into the rim; the back is of several thicknesses of parchment, and on this parchment the relic is gummed The parchment is then sewed with scarlet silk twist to the rim of the capsular, in which are small perforations, and the silk twist is sealed with red sealing wax at the points of intersection in the back, and stamped with the Papal arms If at any time either the silk twist or the seal of one of these capsulars should be broken, the relic would lose the Papal sanction as an object of veneration It may be kept and venerated in private, but not exposed on the altars of the churches for veneration

Father Gartner related the legend of the finding of the cross of the Saviour by St Helena, the wife of Constantine the Great Until the reign of the Emperor, the cross on which Jesus was crucified, had remained in the earth on Mount Calvary, where it had been buried with the

CROSSES OF THE MALEFACTORS,

who were crucified at the same time They were buried, together with the nails and other instruments of the Passion, by the Jews because they were smeared with blood, and to the Jews blood is unclean St Helena, directed by divine light, knew that the cross was buried there, and so an immense number of workmen were engaged in making the explorations to find it As soon as the three crosses were found the Empress Saint was sent for Arriving at the spot where a vast assemblage had gathered she examined the crosses and could not decide which was the true cross With the faith of the early saints she called for a dead body to be brought to test which of the crosses would restore life to the corpse It was impossible to find an unburied body, therefore one was exhumed that had been buried several days and had begun to decay It was laid on the first two crosses which had been unburied with no effect but no sooner did it touch the true cross, when the dead arose and cried aloud, 'Blessed be my Lord and Saviour, Jesus of Nazareth, by whom I am restored to life"

With each relic a certificate is sent descriptive of the same, issued by Cardinal Patrizi the Vicar General of the Pope Several of these relics came from Venice, and they are accompanied by another

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

signed by Cardinal Trevesanato, the patriarchs of Venice. But they are also sealed with the papal seal, and were first sent to the Custodian Apostolica in Rome, to be distributed by papal authority After the Rev Father Gartner had fully explained the nature of his mission, he invited the gentlemen to examine his stereoscopic panorama inserted in the walls of the chapel, and left them for a few minutes All the views are beautiful and highly interesting but especially those of the valley of the Lourdes the city and home of Bernadette Soubrous, the young peasant girl who saw the apparition of the Blessed Virgin in the grotto of Mirabelle, and discovered the miraculous fountain to which pilgrims now flock by thousands, the beautiful church of our Lady Lourdes erected above the grotto, and the grotto itself lighted with 200 tapers, blazing above the limpid waters that flew from the fissure in the rock The most interesting of all the pictures is one of Bernadette herself in her simple peasant's cap. She has an earnest pleasant face, but there is nothing remarkable in either the features or expression

When Father Gortner returned to the subterranean chapel he brought three golden medals He presented one to each of the gentlemen, explaining that they had touched the very spot in the grotto of Mirabelle where Bernadette Soubrous saw the heavenly apparition

THE COMMUNIST EXILES

WRECK AND MASSACRE

NEW YORK, Feb 3 —A Sydney (New South Wales) letter says Reports from the new homes of the French Communists indicate continued disquiet The wives of about 300 arrived at Noumea from Brest, and were in most cases, permitted to rejoin their husbands depriving them of one ground of complaint A few who had anticipated the privilege had been delegated to the Society of [illegible] at Precepice where the discipline has become more rigid, the irons heavier and other modes of punishment more elaborate and frequent The officials evince their distrust of those at the Isles de Pines by keeping the gunboat almost constantly stationed there

Last week Her Majesty's ship *Dido* returned from a cruise bringing as a passenger a lone man the sole survivor of the crew of the bark *Plate* The ship left here for China with coal some months ago struck a reef north of New Caledonia when the crew escaped in one of their boats and made for Solomon's Island On reaching their destination they were mercilessly slaughtered by the natives The mate shot himself rather than be tortured by the savages and the survivor was spared from a superstitious belief that as half a dozen arrows by which he was pierced had not touched the vital part, it would be unlucky to attack him again The *Dido* hearing of a white man being in captivity, there rescued him and arrested three of the principal murderers, one of whom committed suicide by poison on the following night

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING February 9 1874

Gold in New York to-day 112½

Portland Legal Tenders buying 81 selling 90

Gold bars are quotable at 72s@70 fine

Exchange on San Francisco at par

Liverpool Wheat by mail advices from San Francisco 12s [illegible] for average California, and 11s 3d@14s for club

The business of the week opened to-day with a very fair degree of activity [illegible] The [illegible] to acknowledge that compared with the condition of trade [illegible] one year ago the present is not only [illegible] While the general produce market is dull the trade in general dry goods etc [illegible] The money market presents no new features the demand for loans being light and generally supplied at current rate 1 per cent at the banks and about 1½ per cent out side

The coinage at the San Francisco Mint during the month of January was as follow

	Pieces	Value
Double Eagles	40 000	$1 800 000
Half Dollars	22 000	11 000
Quarter Dollars	12 000	3 000
Dimes	30 000	3 000
Totals	104 000	$1 9[illegible] 000

The annual circular of Dun Barlow & Co Mercantile Agency for the year 1873 shows the number and amounts of failure during the year as compared with the three years previous The summary [illegible] as follow

Year	Failures in N Y City No	Liabilities	No	Balance of U S Liabilities
1870	1[illegible]	$30 [illegible] 000	[illegible]	$67 663 000
1871	[illegible]	20 740 000	[illegible]	61 [illegible] 000
1872	88	20 684 000	684	100 272 000
1873	644	92 [illegible] 000	4 5[illegible]	13[illegible] 861 000

From the above it will be seen that there were more failures by 1 114 in 1873 than in 1872 with an increase in liabilities of $10 [illegible] 000 Of this increase in liabilities New York City is chargeable with $71 [illegible] 000 showing that throughout the balance of the entire country, the increase in liabilities is only $[illegible] 000 which is not a very excessive amount the circular suggests as compared with that of previous years By their figures can best be estimated the extent of the disasters of a year during which a crisis occurred in the commercial affairs of the country which for a time was so severe and so trying as to be almost without parallel. That these disasters were not more numerous the authors of the circular think is subject for sincere congratulation, and the strongest ground for hope in the future is that the commercial fabric of the country stood a strain so severe without results more [illegible]

Wheat and Flour

There are but few holders who are willing to accept present offers and the market is almost void of transactions. There seems to be some disagreement as to the surplus yet held in the State but the figures given by us week before last reduced by the exportations made since are as nearly correct as any attainable by us and we are still inclined to the opinion that the surplus in our State, after the fleet of ships here on New Years day were laden was equivalent to 2 000 000 bushels The reduction of this quantity since is less than 400 000 bushels so that we yet have in the State 1 600 000 bushels for export which the vessels now in port will reduce 100 000 bushels more The question of a supply of tonnage for this large surplus is one yet to be solved as we learn that but few ships are now offering and these are held at £3 10s ℔ ton and upward At this rate and taking into consideration the fact that shipments made from this coast now for Europe, will arrive at their destination at a time when they will have to compete with the next crop in the East exporters are farsighted enough to act upon a cautious basis both in buying cargoes and chartering ships They claim that under the above circumstances the price could not be kept up even were the tonnage as plenty and as cheap as earlier in the shipping season With these facts and the reduced quotations from Liverpool our market is tending downward and is severely inactive as far as important transactions are concerned. There are now in port three coasters and two foreign bound vessels and some three or four others nearly due.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Receipts decreasing with larger stocks on hand Quotations weak at $1 80@1 85 per cental

FLOUR—Market overstocked cargo lots selling at a reduction of 10 per cent, on jobbing rates which are $6 00 ℔ bbl for choice extra of standard brands $5 50@6 for good outside brands $5 for superfine and $1 75 for fine

OATS—The supply is now adequate or rather in excess of the current demand for shipping or the home trade though but few can be sold here for less than 45 cents per bushel sacked and leave any margin for the producer The above figures however are still good for choice lots

BARLEY—Prices are disposed to decline as California has ceased its overland shipments on account of the rise in freights and still has a quite large surplus on hand We quote at $1 37½@1 40 per cwt

FEED—With a full supply of all varieties of ground feed on hand our market is dull and large lots could not be readily placed even at $14 per ton for bran $25 for chopped $22 50 for shorts which are furnished as current rates

HAY—Good baled and loose Timothy is in reasonably fair demand at $15@14 per ton delivered Wild grass is duller at $9 The receipts are somewhat lessened

POTATOES—Good varieties are in demand at 45@50 cents per bushel

ONIONS—Sales light quotable at $1 50@1 75 per 100 pounds

APPLES—Choice varieties assorted and neatly packed for shipment are in good demand at 65@75 cents per box Loose lots from wagons sell for 50 cents a bushel

BACON—We quote sides at 10@11 cents ℔ lb for best and shoulders 9@10 cents Good hams well trimmed and thoroughly smoked are quoted firm at 15@16 cents ℔ lb, with chances of advancing Receipts not large

LARD—The market is steadier with quotations still at 11@12 cents ℔ lb in kegs and 12@13 in 10 pound tins

DRIED FRUIT—Trade inactive apples in sacks quotable at 4½@5 cents ℔ lb in kegs [illegible] plums with pits very dull at 6 cents pitless 14 [illegible]

BUTTER—The supply of common is large and is found almost impossible to work off at any price Choice roll and fancy print are in better demand at 25@30 cents ℔ lb

CHEESE—The demand for the production of our State dairies continues to absorb receipts and prices are firmly sustained at 15@17 cents ℔ lb

EGGS—Large receipts and dropping prices in the California market have rendered sales here more difficult and quotations are reduced to 22@24 cents ℔ doz with the prospect of a still further decline

CHICKENS—Common lots are in fair supply at $3 50@4 doz full grown are quotable at $4

BEEF CATTLE—The arrivals of choice lots are few, and butchers are paying for such [illegible] cents ℔ lb on foot while poorer sell at 4@5 cents

DRESSED HOGS—Receipts light and prices dull at 7@8 cents ℔ lb

MUTTON SHEEP—Are in fair demand at $2@3 ℔ head for best lots

HIDES—Prices seem a little inclined to weaken under recent advices from the East We quote for perfect lots 11 cents ℔ lb for dry 6 cents for green, and 7 cents for green salted

TALLOW—The market is quoted at 6@6½ cents ℔ lb in bulk

WOOL—The few lots kept over from last year's clip are held at an advance though transactions are very few in number The quotations are nominal at 25 cents ℔ lb for best quality and 20@22 cents for common

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 9—Flour—[illegible] extra

Wheat—Market continues quiet at about $1 [illegible]

Barley—$1 60@1 [illegible] as to extremes

Oats—$1 60@1 80

Hay—From $15 to $17

Potatoes—$1 10@1 [illegible]

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO February [illegible]

Ophir	[illegible]	Succor	
G & C	35	Julia	
B & B	[illegible]	Baltimore	
Savage	112	California	
Chollar	[illegible]	Silver Hill	
H & N	60	Eclipse	
Crown Point	[illegible]	Dayton	
Jacket	72	N Y Con	
Imperial	6	American Flat	
Kentuck	[illegible]	Tyler	
Alpha	13	S Overman	
Belcher	100	Woodville	
Confidence	83	Alamo	
Con Virginia	69	Lady Washington	
Sierra Nevada	24	Segregated Island	
Daney	3	Andes	
Segregated Belcher	111	Florida	
Overman	42	Mint	
Justice			

AFTERNOON BOARD

Valley	117	Kilmore	
Savage		S Chariot	
Eureka Con		Empire	
Jackson		Jack	
W & C		Manhattan	
E & J		Belcher	
H & N		Savage	
Belmont		Con Virginia	
Gold Hill		Overman	
Newark		Ch Hill	
Rye Patch		Crown Point	
M Belmont		Yellow Jacket	
Eldorado South		California	
Eureka Gras Valley	11	Ophir	
St Patrick		Hale & N	
C Chariot	18½	Imperial	
		Caledonia	

Shipping Intelligence.

The bark Etta Stewart and brig Hazard are rapidly discharging ballast at Flanders wharf They will begin to receive their cargoes in a few days

The Hera having been released from quarantine has drawn up to her berth and discharged the remainder of her cargo and is taking on flour and grain for San Francisco

The steamship California from Sitka [illegible] this side is not yet due at this port

The brig Orient cleared at San Francisco for this port on the 4th inst and sailed on the 5th instant Hence she is about due at the mouth of the Columbia

The steamship Oriflamme had not arrived up to a late hour this evening but may [illegible] tomorrow morning

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO Feb [illegible]—Sailed—[illegible] schooner W H Meyer [illegible]

[illegible]

Retail Family Market.

The following retail prices [illegible]

DRIED FRUIT		CANNED	
Currants	[illegible]	Oysters [illegible] cans	
Citron		[illegible]	
Cocoanuts each		[illegible]	
Cranberries		[illegible]	
Figs		Sardines	
Peaches		[illegible]	
Apples		[illegible]	
Plums		[illegible]	

GROCERIES		SPICES	
Coffee ground			
do green		Worcestershire	
do Java		Cats up	
do Mocha		do Mushroom	
Sugar crushed	14@15		
do pulverized	14@15	Capers	
do granulated	14@15	Curry Powder	
do Yellow	14	Mustard	
do Island No 1	12½	do Cal	
do No 2		Pickles English	
do extra			
Milk condensed		NUTS	
Candles adamant		Almonds	
do Paraffine		Walnuts	
do Sperm		Brazil	
Oil Kerosene ℔ gal		Filbert	
Syrup Golden ℔ gal		Peanuts	
Tea—		Pecan	
Gunpowder		Chestnuts	
Imperial		Hickory	
Young Hyson			
Hyson		GAME	
Eng Breakfast		Ducks wild	
Japan		Geese	
PROVISIONS ETC		Swan	
Butter—		Grouse	
Fancy Dairy		Pheasants	
Good	20@25		
Ordinary	10@18	Venison ℔ lb	
Cooking		FISH	
Cheese California		Eastern Cod	
do Eastern		Halibut	
do Oregon		Pacific Cod	
Ham country	18	Sturgeon	
do city	18@20	Salmon	
do Sugar cured	18@20		
Shoulders	10@12	Des Icale [illegible] Cod	
Bacon, clear sides	13	Mackerel	
do Breakfast	15@16	Fresh Oysters	
Lard—		VEGETABLES	
Pure Leaf in tins		Squash Cal	
Good in tins	17	Beets	
In Bulk	13	Onions	
Honey Yellow comb		Carrots	
do white		Turnips	
Eggs ℔ doz		Blackberries	
BREADSTUFFS		Cherries	
Flour—		Cabbage ℔ doz	
Patent brands		Cauliflower	
Choice		Potatoes	
Common		Asparagus	
Graham extra		Lettuce	
Corn meal Cal ℔ lb		MEATS	
do Oregon		Beef	
POULTRY		Mutton	
Hens grown	$1 00	do choice	
Roosters	1 00	Veal	
Spring chickens		Pork	
Ducks tame		do Chops	
Geese			
Turkeys			

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Mowers Buckeye new model $1 0 Buckeye No 2 $14 Buckeye No 1 $1 Buckeye Self Raker $240 Hand Raker $225 Buckeye Dropper $225 Clipper No 2 $130 No $140 No 1 $150 No 3 $1 Sprague Mowers Nos 1 and 2, $155 and 135 Union, 120 Dodge's Reaper No 1 $250 No 2 $240 Excelsior Reaper and Mower, $250; McCormick's Self Raker $200 Hand Raker, $175 Harvesters Marsh's $240 Haines' Headers $335 and $35 Threshers Vibrator Thresher 8-horse mounted power complete $875 10 horse mounted power complete $925 sweepstakes $800 to $825 with or without mounted power; Pitts Improved Buffalo Nos 1 to 5 $660 to $825 Tornado $775 to $0 Wheel or 8 Endless Chain $600 to $825 Wagons Bain 3 inch to 4 inch thimble skein $150 to $160, Pacific do $115 to $175 Mitchell, with patent or square hounds and roller brake $145 to $16

BAGS AND BAGGING—Prices are weak and standard 22x36 are selling in San Francisco at 15@16 30 per cent less than cost of importation The same quotable here at 16 cents Burlaps 10oz 40 inch 12@12½

BOOTS AND SHOES—Men's Slaughter Boots $48 GS?7, stogy, $36@42 Cordova $18@31 Granite $40 Columbia $60@63 P Calf $45 Milford Standards $60@63 J K & Co extra calf $69@75 Phila B B calf $60@72 S F French calf [illegible] S F half dress $60@66 S I Congress Galters $49@60 S F calf Oxford $33@31 S F [illegible] @27 Ladies J K & Co B calf [illegible] $24@27, do [illegible] plough shoes $19 50@21 do kid fox Bals $24 @27, S F do do $18@21 S F XXX do do $33@36 Misses S F kid fox $17 50@21 Hibbard's Custom Made Farmers Kip [illegible] and do and [illegible] $38 to $60 do A kip [illegible] do [illegible] do F kip [illegible] do A F Calf ex traline hand sewed $12 do A Calf Hibbard's extra [illegible] Boys $31 50 to $48 Ladies till Calf $8 to $30 Misses Shoes inferior grade, $17 50 to $21

BROOMS—The jobbing prices are firm at $1@5 per doz for common and $5@6 for best to extra best

BUILDING MATERIALS—Mill prices delivered in the city are Fir lumber rough $12 per M edged $14 surface sheathing $16 siding $20 rustic $25 flooring $22 50 [illegible] $17 50, seasoned flooring $25 one side planed $20 four sides planed $25 side walk and wharf flooring $11 Laths $3 Pickets 1¼ inch lineal per 100 [illegible] Lattice, 75c per 100 Shingles $2 40@3 per M

CANDLES—We quote Sperm 40@45c Paraffine [illegible] Adamantine [illegible] Gross & Co's 18½@19 Chemical Wax [illegible] Hopes 16@17c

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $6@7 50 Jams and Jellies $4 50 Los Angeles Honey $4 50 Strawberries $1 50 Rasberries $1 75 Blackberries $4 00 Pine Apple $3 50 Green Gage $3 75@$4 Peaches $2 50@3 50 Pie Fruit $3 50 Green Peas $3 50 Green Beans $3 50 Lobsters $4 00@$4 75 Clams $4 Green Corn $4 50@$5 Tomatoes $2 50@$3 Quinces $5

CEMENT &c—New Jersey, $6 Calcine Plaster $ Land Plaster $2 50 Santa Cruz Lime $2 50 San Juan Lime $2 50 English Portland Cement $7 Hoffman's New York Cement $5

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following jobbing prices Costa Rica [illegible] Guatemala 21½@ Java [illegible] J Jones & Co's Ground Java 26c Chartres 27c Phoenix Premium 27@28c No Rio or Manila in the market

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum 6c Borax [illegible] Blue Vitriol 12½@13 Potash Granite 1lb cans ℔ doz $2 25 Rosin ℔ bbl $6 [illegible] Saltpetre in kegs 16@18c ℔ lb Soda Caustic [illegible] Soda Ash [illegible]

DRY GOODS—Standard drills 1 @16 [illegible] 1½ sheetings light 11½c medium 12½c standard 14@15c house lining [illegible] bleached sheeting [illegible] 9 [illegible] do ¾ 13½ do 4-4 12½c Cotton Checks [illegible] linen checks, 18@20c cambrics [illegible] Cotton flannel bleached 16@20c do brown 12@18c Cottonades light 20@25c do heavy [illegible] Denims [illegible] Hickory stripes [illegible] Standard prints 11c, seconds do [illegible] Delaines 18@20c [illegible] Ticks [illegible] Table Linen [illegible] damask [illegible] Alpaca black [illegible] Ginghams Domestic [illegible] Scotch [illegible] Lawns [illegible]

FISH—Cod [illegible] Eastern 11c Mackerel No 1 [illegible] bbl $17 00 do No 2 [illegible] Salmon [illegible] bbls $4 00@$4 [illegible] bbls $8 50 [illegible] Canned spiced fish 2lb cans [illegible] per doz 1lb [illegible] Sardines [illegible]

FRUITS dried AND PRESERVES—[illegible] packed [illegible] Prunes [illegible] Plums pitless [illegible] crop [illegible] quarter [illegible] eighth boxes [illegible] Citron [illegible] Currants 11c Oregon [illegible]

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English reported in San Francisco [illegible] round bar [illegible] Copper—Sheathing [illegible] Sheathing, bronzed [illegible] Tin Plates—Plates char [illegible] Steel—English [illegible] Lead—Pig [illegible] Sheet [illegible] Zinc—Sheet [illegible] Quicksilver [illegible]

NAILS—Quote [illegible] cut spike [illegible] finish [illegible]

NUTS—Almonds [illegible] Brazil [illegible] Walnuts [illegible] Hickory [illegible]

OILS—[illegible]

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—[illegible] Blankets [illegible] Flannel [illegible] Cassimeres [illegible] Tweed [illegible] Blankets when sold by the bale

SALERATUS—Bartlett's [illegible] Babbitt's 1 @10

ROPE—Manila N B [illegible] Cal [illegible] flax and Hemp twine [illegible] bale rope 25@50c Eastern bolt, 21 @22½c

SALT—Ground Rock $16 ℔ ton Carman Island $30 ℔ [illegible] Liverpool, coarse in 200lb sacks $20, do in 100lb sacks $22 50 do fine in 50lb sacks [illegible] do in 100lb sack $20 do in 50lb sacks $[illegible]

SYRUP—A slight advance is noticed we quote in [illegible] per gal in [illegible] bbls [illegible] in kegs [illegible]

SOAP—Quotable firm for [illegible] Irving & Co's in jobbing lots at 7 [illegible]

STARCH—The agents' rates with the usual discount off to the trade are for Pearl [illegible] boxes [illegible] 1 lb papers [illegible] Satin Glaze [illegible] Corn 1 lb papers [illegible]

TURPENTINE—We quote jobbing prices firm at 85 @90 cents ℔ gallon

AGENTS FOR THE OREGONIAN

Subscriptions to the DAILY and WEEKLY OREGONIAN may be remitted [illegible] the following agents

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Cris Taylor	Dayton	[illegible]	Scottsburg
[illegible] Lee	Dallas	[illegible]	Shields
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[illegible]	Gervais	[illegible]	Weston
[illegible] Moore	Greenville	West & Co	Westport
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		[illegible] P M	Yakima

INSURANCE.

FIREMAN'S FUND

Insurance Co. of California,

SHOWING ITS

FINANCIAL CONDITION DEC. 31, 1873.

The following figures are on a gold basis

CAPITAL STOCK, fully paid $300,000 00

Assets.

Cash on hand in Company's Office	$24 31[illegible] 57
Cash in Bank of California	822 80
Cash in Sather & Co	3,020 [illegible]
Cash in Laidlaw & Co (Agency Bank of California) New York	3431 2[illegible]
Cash in Union National Bank, Chicago	1667 [illegible]
United States Bonds	113 301 05
Loans on Bond and Mortgage	136 301 10
Bills Receivable secured by collaterals	19 79 2
Real Estate unincumbered	165 000 00
Furniture	4 393 11
Marine premium notes	16 [illegible] 58
Interest due on mortgages	2 618 91
Taxes paid on property secured by mortgage	1 801 31
Salvage claims on losses paid	12 3[illegible] 31
All other property	12 600 9[illegible]
Balances in hands of Managers and in due course of transmission	26 668 7[illegible]
Premiums in course of collection	2 271 38
Gross Assets	$862 082 02

Liabilities.

Losses adjusted but not due, and in process of adjustment	$22 [illegible] 00
Individual accounts	813 60
Dividends uncalled for	771 92
Total	$ [illegible]

Losses due and unpaid—None

Net Assets for the security of policy holders $ [illegible]

Reinsurance Reserve.

Fire	$[illegible]
Marine	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

Business of 1873—Income

Net premiums received on Fire Risks	$[illegible]
Net premiums received on Marine Risks	[illegible]
Net premiums—notes received do	[illegible]
Interest	20 217 00
Rents	1 2[illegible]
All other sources	[illegible] 26
Total Income	$[illegible]

Expenditures.

Losses paid on Fire Risks net	[illegible]
Losses paid on Marine Risks net	[illegible]
Dividends to stockholders	[illegible]
Taxes State and National	[illegible]
Eastern Bills Payable—60 day drafts given in payment of Boston losses maturing in January and February	[illegible]
Commissions and brokerages	[illegible]
Salaries fees etc	[illegible]
All other expenditures for Home, Eastern and Western Departments	[illegible]
Interest on borrowed money	[illegible]
Total Expenditures	$[illegible]

Losses Incurred during the Year.

Fire	$[illegible]
Marine	[illegible]

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Net Assets 1873	$[illegible]
Net Assets 1872	[illegible]
Gain	$[illegible] 183 01
Income 1873	[illegible]
Income 1872	[illegible]
Gain	[illegible]

The Fire Income of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company of California is derived from modern [illegible] widely distributed [illegible] avoiding the dangers to policy holders and Company of heavy concentration of risks

D J STAPLES President
ALPHEUS BULL Vice President
GEO D DORNIN Secretary
WM J DUTTON Asst Secy
THOS [illegible] Genl Agent

EDWARD HALL, Manager
Oregon Branch [illegible] Front street Portland Oregon
jan [illegible]

HOME

MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Fire and Marine Insurance.

Capital........$1,000,000.

JOHN H REDINGTON	President
GEO H HOWARD	Vice President
CHAS R STORY	Secretary
N B EDDY	Marine Secretary
H B BIGELOW	General Manager

DIRECTORS.

Oregon Branch.

PORTLAND [illegible] C H Lewis B Gold [illegible] Brooke
SALEM J [illegible] Crower
ALBANY J A Crawford
DALLES D M French
LEWISTON J Lowenberg

HAMILTON BOYD,
Agent for Oregon and Washington Territory

REMOVAL.

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,

Attorneys at Law

HAVE REMOVED FROM ODD FELLOWS Temple to Rooms Nos 7 and 8 in [illegible] Building, corner First and Ash streets Portland

THOS. J. DRYER.

Justice of the Peace.

OFFICE—Front Street, between B and C.

BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept subject to Check at sight

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted

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Designated Depositary and Financial Agent United States,

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LETTERS OF CREDIT issued available in the Atlantic Cities

SIGHT EXCHANGE AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS payable in Coin or Currency for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO ST LOUIS

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF PORTLAND.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

THIS BANK HAS ESTABLISHED IN CONNECTION with the general Banking business a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT and will allow Interest on Coin Deposits made in accordance with the conditions adopted by the Association

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HENRY FAILING, President.
JAMES STEEL Cashier

Directors:
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon In the matter [illegible] Ripley bankrupt—In Bankruptcy There [illegible] notice that a third and final general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland in said District on the 27th day of February A D 1874 at 10 o'clock A M at the office of H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy in said District for the purposes named in the 28th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2 1867 And I also give notice that I have filed my [illegible] as assignee of said bankrupt's estate in said Court and that I will at said hour on said day apply to the Court for a settlement of said accounts and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of [illegible]

JOHN CATLIN
Assignee

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the business of Mrs C Lewis have this day formed themselves into a copartnership under the firm name of Lewis & Strauss and will conduct the wholesale and retail Dry Goods and Millinery business as heretofore

J H LEWIS
JACOB STRAUSS

Portland Jan 19 1874

ASSIGNEE'S [illegible] OF ALL [illegible] District of Oregon ss—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of [illegible] & Co [illegible] of Portland in Multnomah county in the State of Oregon within said District who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition by the District Court of said District

F BROOKE
Assignee

NOTICE.

ACTING BY AND UNDER AUTHORITY OF the State of Oregon I hereby give notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to JAMES C VAN RENSSELAER that they make payment of all debts at my place of business on Front street within sixty days from this date and that all claims against said Van Rensselaer must be presented to me forthwith at the same place

P C SCHUYLER

Portland Oregon January [illegible]

MARKETS.

J. S. KELLER,

Has removed to

Stalls 1, 2 & 3, City Market,

Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

CITY MARKET

Stalls No. 25 & 26.

C. R. HOFFMAN,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer of

Beef, Pork, Veal and Mutton,

Sausage, Head Cheese, Tripe, and

CORNED MEATS.

REMOVAL—ENLARGED.

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CENTRAL MARKET,

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of the

FRANKLIN MARKET,

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E. H. GARLING,

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 1,431.

AN ORDINANCE TO PREVENT OBSTRUCtions and injury to the sidewalks

The city of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 No person or persons occupying any building, or premises fronting, or abutting on any street which has been improved by laying sidewalk shall place or cause to be placed any wood to be used for fuel on the sidewalk in front of or abutting upon their respective premises except in actual course of delivery in which case such wood shall not be allowed to remain on the sidewalk more than four hours

Section 2 No wood to be used for fuel shall be cut, sawed or split on any sidewalk

Section [illegible] Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, on conviction be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars or shall be imprisoned in the City Jail not less than two nor more than twenty days

Section [illegible] The Chief of Police is hereby directed to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance

Passed the Common Council February 4 1874

W[illegible] CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 1874

HENRY FAILING,
Mayor

feb[illegible]

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon In Bankruptcy In the matter of Joseph Kellogg O Kellogg and C H Kellogg as Kellogg & Co bankrupts United States of America District of Oregon ss A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Joseph Kellogg, O Kellogg and C H Kellogg as Kellogg & Co of the county of Washington and State of Oregon in said District who have been duly adjudged bankrupts upon [illegible] petition [illegible] and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to [illegible] bankrupts to them or [illegible] and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of their estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Portland Oregon in said District on the [illegible] day of February A D 1874 at [illegible] P M at the office of H H Northup the Register in Bankruptcy [illegible] said District

THOMAS [illegible] YOUNG
U S Marshal for said District

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon In the matter of [illegible] S McClure bankrupt—In Bankruptcy I hereby give notice that a second third and final general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland in said District on the [illegible] day of February A D 1874 at 10 o'clock A M at the office of H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy in said District for the purposes named in the 27th and 28th sections of the Bankrupt Act of March 2 1867 And I also give notice that I have filed my accounts as assignee of said bankrupt's estate in said Court and that I will at said hour on said day apply for a settlement of said accounts and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate

JOHN CATLIN
Assignee

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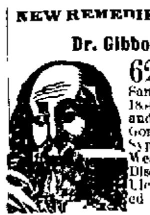

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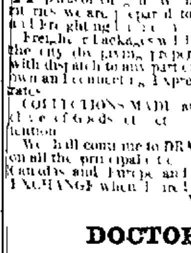

The Celebrated Chinese Physician returned to this [illegible] an absence of [illegible] and has opened [illegible] the corner of [illegible] and Second [illegible] stairs where he [illegible] patients for all diseases with [illegible] known [illegible]

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EASTERN NEWS.

[illegible]

Proceedings of the National Grange

[illegible]

Irregularity and Attempted Suicide

[illegible]

Explosion in a Glycerine Factory

[illegible] Feb [illegible] The glycerine factory [illegible] by an explosion [illegible] Two men were killed

Printers Strike in Louisville

LOUISVILLE, Ky Feb 9 The printers of [illegible] struck [illegible] because of [illegible]

Died from his Injuries.

[illegible] Feb 9—W B Kelly of the [illegible] died from his [illegible] received from being thrown [illegible] last night

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional

WASHINGTON Feb 9 The bill of Dawes [illegible] House this morning, and referred [illegible] Committee fixes the rate of postage on [illegible] letters [illegible] drop letters and [illegible] cards [illegible] that no [illegible]

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs [illegible] Secretary [illegible]

Statue of Col E. D. Baker to be Placed in the Capitol

WASHINGTON Feb 9—The joint committee [illegible] Library has authorized their Chairman [illegible] tract with [illegible] for a marble statue [illegible] E D Baker provided [illegible] of the Congress The statue is to cost [illegible]

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Gladstone's Defeat.

LONDON Feb [illegible] A M Latest despatches [illegible] Liberal [illegible] Conservatives [illegible] Ireland

An understanding [illegible] between Mr Disraeli and the Marquis of Salisbury and Earl of Carnarvon and these [illegible] in the formation of [illegible] Ministry [illegible] will address his [illegible] Buckingham [illegible] Wednesday

The [illegible] representatives at Brussels [illegible] and Liberal [illegible] have resigned

THE CENTENNIAL OF THE AMERICAN CONGRESS

Walter Allison and Richard K Betts [illegible] Philadelphia [illegible] by Senator [illegible] and Representatives O'Neill and [illegible] called on the President this morning and presented him with a copy of the memorial adopted by the Carpenter's Hall Society of the City and County of Philadelphia, Oct. [illegible] in relation to the Centennial Anniversary of the first American Congress The memorial is as follows

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled—We, your memorialists respectfully represent that while we recognize the fact that our nation's freedom was declared in Independence Hall, yet the place where were heard the deliberate tones of a Hancock the defiant voice of a Henry and the persuasive eloquence of an Adams in the first American Congress than whom a body of greater men never assembled together or crowned a nation's annals and [illegible] here in reverence [illegible] prayer was uttered in that Congress, [illegible] liberately knowing that to the oppression of the mother country Americans never [illegible] submit, and the determination to part with their liberties only with their lives so patriotically and faithfully adhered to is held [illegible] by us as the nation's birthplace and is [illegible] dear to every patriotic heart and

Whereas The near approach of the [illegible] hundredth anniversary of that meeting [illegible] considerations [illegible] petitioning, that we the successors of those who freely offered this hall [illegible] [illegible] United States House was [illegible] should commemorate [illegible] [illegible] by our official action therefore be it

Resolved [illegible] Congress is invited to assemble in this hall on the fifth day of the [illegible] month 1874 the one hundredth anniversary of the meeting of the first American Congress and that such ceremonies take place as [illegible] wisdom shall deem best [illegible]

SAMUEL [illegible] President
W [illegible] Secretary
WALTER ALLISON
D HENRY [illegible]
RICHARD K BETTS
Committee

To the copy of the memorial given to the President was appended an invitation to [illegible] a [illegible] Cabinet to be present on that occasion The President said that it would give him pleasure to attend and that he would lay the invitation before the Cabinet. A copy of the memorial was to be presented in the Senate by Senator Cameron and by Representative Myers in the House of Representatives [illegible] it was referred to the [illegible]

THE VIGILANTES

WHAT [illegible] SHERMAN [illegible] VIGILANCE COMMITTEE [illegible]

The Washington correspondent of the [illegible] under date of [illegible] says

Advance sheets of the [illegible] the [illegible] containing the published [illegible] General Sherman [illegible] Vigilance Committee [illegible] San Francisco [illegible]

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